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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, AND TRIESTE.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains	1883.
GWALIOR	2723	500	M. de Horne	7th Aug.
SIAM	3041	500	E. Ashdown	14th "
VENETIA	2726	550	A. B. Daniell	21st "
PEKIN	3600	600	A. Symons	28th "
SURAT	3142	530	C. K. Edwards	4th Sept.
CATHAY	2863	550	W. M. Robbie	11th "

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 2 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, and TRIESTE, by every Mail, and to MARSEILLES by every alternate Mail.

The steamers marked ½ proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others, passengers change vessels at Suez.

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

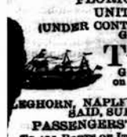
Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	On 1883.
TEHERAN	2403	650		18th Aug.
DECCAN	2438	560	A. W. Adamson	28th "
BUTLEY	1194	700	A. H. Johnson	7th Sept.

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, July 14, 1883.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA
FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S
UNITED COMPANIES
(UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)



THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA on the 20th and BOMBAY on the 1st each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and *vice versa*.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class .. £ 500	Including wines.	I Class .. £ 520	Including wines.
II do..... 340		II do. 350	
III do..... 150	With food.	III do. 155	With food.

Children under 3 years, free; under 10 years, half fare.

Cargo and Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books.

A discount of 25, 20, and 10 per cent, is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other first-class Steamers will leave Bombay :—

MANILLA on Wednesday ..... 1st Aug. 1883.
CHINA on Saturday ..... 1st Sept. 1883.

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo-bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 11 days.

From Genoa, I Class Calais Route.	£ 26	Brighton Route	£ 30
II do. do. ..	70	do. ..	8
From Naples, I do. do. ..	145	do. ..	0
" II do. do. ..	105	do. ..	13

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, May 19, 1883.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION.
REGULAR MONTHLY STEAMERS TO MARSEILLES.

THE new first-class steamer CHOLON, 2,700 tons register, 450 horse-power, will leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 20th August She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Rates of Passage.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.
Children under three years of age free of charge.
" over three and under eight ¼ charge.
" " eight and under twelve ½ charge.

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows :—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe " .....1st class " 5 18 1

Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in London free of charge to the extent allowed by the passage ticket. For further particulars, apply to

RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.

Bombay, 21st June, 1883.

ANCHOR LINE.
INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL AND MEDITERRANEAN.

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

Names.	Tons.	H.P.	nl.	Comdrs.	Sailing About
s.s. ARMENIA.....	3,396	480		G. H. Read..	31st July.

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

For the convenience of *Indian* passengers an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 7th May, 1883.

S. S. MOUNT LEBANON has ARRIVED from Glasgow and Liverpool, and is DISCHARGING in the Prince's Dock.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

INDIA IN 1983,
A POLITICAL PROPHECY.

Re. 1, post-free Re. 1-2.

THACKER AND CO., Ld., BOMBAY.

BYCULLA CLUB.—The HALF YEARLY GENERAL MEETING of the members of the BYCULLA CLUB will be held at the Club-house on SATURDAY, the 25th August, 1883, at 6 o'clock p.m.

A. A. CONROY,
12th July, 1883. Honorary Secretary.

YARN-DYED KHAKEE DRILL.

THE ELGIN MILLS COMPANY, Cawnpore, have now a large stock of the above material of the regulation shade as approved for Army use, and are in a position to execute all orders immediately upon receipt.

Samples and particulars upon application.

YARN DYED KHAKI DRILL.

THE MUIR MILLS COMPANY, Limited, Cawnpore, have a large stock of the above, in qualities and shades as approved for the clothing of Europeans and Native Troops. Samples and prices furnished on application to

MANAGING DIRECTOR.
Messrs. W. WATSON & Co. Apollo-street, Bombay. } Agents

WINCKWORTH & ELLERTON.
OFFICE—WAVERLEY HOTEL.

MR. T. W. SCOTT, Civil Engineer and Architect, prepares Designs and Estimates for all kinds of work. Surveying and Arbitration undertaken on moderate terms.

For further particulars, apply Personally to the Office, between 10-30 a.m. and 1-30 p.m.

Supervision of Contractors' works undertaken on reasonable terms.

B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY.

RESUMPTION OF THROUGH TRAIN SERVICE.

PASSENGERS, HORSES, CARRIAGES and GOODS TRAFFIC is being conveyed between ALL STATIONS as usual.

J. R. DUXBURY,
Bombay, July 31, 1883. Traffic Manager.

MR. N. H. GHEESTA,
DENTAL SURGEON,

AFTER SUCCESSFUL PRACTICE for 10 years in Upper India and the Punjab, has now established himself at No. 564, Crawford Market (Cloth Bazaar), where he can be consulted daily from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

January, 1883.

KANGRA VALLEY TEAS
OF THE NASSAU TEA COMPANY, Ld.

THESE TEAS are superior to all others hitherto imported into Bombay, both in flavour and fragrance, owing to their having been dried and prepared by the latest steam-machinery, of which this Company only holds the patent. To avoid adulteration, the Teas are packed under the immediate supervision of Mr. Richard Ballard, the Manager, in packets of one lb. each.

Orange Pekoe.....Re. 1 8 | Pekoe .....Re. 1 3
Imperial Mixture.. " 1 5 | Pekoe Souchong ..... " 0 15

J. E. MODY.

57, Hornby-row, near the Gaiety.

KANGRA TEAS.

THE LANODE, SUNSAL AND SULAH (LATE SNOWVIEW) GARDENS ARE NOW UNDER OUR DIRECTION.

WE have the SOLE DISPOSAL in Bombay of these marks, which speak for themselves, the "SUNSAL" especially being already well known and approved in Bombay. The Teas are put up in 1 lb. and 5 lb. packets at the Factory only, none whatever being sent out in bulk.

RETAIL PRICES :

Orange Pekoe ..... Rs. 1 8 0
Imperial Mixture ..... " 1 4 0
Pekoe Souchong ..... " 1 0 0
Orders over 50 lbs. on reduced scales.

LANODE & SUNSAL TEA CO., PALUNPORE.

Sole Agents in Bombay :
ROGERS & CO., BYCULLA & FORT.

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S.S. "BOOLDANA," 2,823 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 1st August, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore and Palao Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S.S. "ABYSSINIA," 1,129 tons, on MONDAY, 6th August, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Muscat, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE.

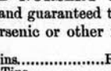
S.S. "PACHUMBA," 867 tons, on FRIDAY, 3rd August, 1883, at 10 a.m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

S.S. "SIMLA," 1,615 tons, on SATURDAY, 11th August, 1883.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 30th July, 1883. Agents.

FAVRE LEUBA & Co.,
BOMBAY,
WATCHMAKERS TO THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

IMPORTANT TO  SHIP CAPTAINS.

Chronometers Cleaned,
Chronometers Repaired,
Chronometers Rated,*
Chronometers given on Hire,†
Sextants Adjusted,
Index and Horizon Glasses Re-silvered,
Agates Replaced in Compasses,
Barometer Tubes Replaced, &c., &c.

Only the most experienced and thoroughly competent European Assistants employed in this branch, and all Repairs executed by us are guaranteed to be equal to best London workmanship.

* We take our Rates from an Astronomical Regulator of the highest standard, giving a mean variation of 1,4 seconds per month.

† A few thoroughly reliable instruments with splendid Rates always ready for delivery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TREACHER'S ANIMAL TRAPS,
"THE TRAPS THAT KILL."

	Cash prices. Rs.	a.
RAT TRAPS .....each	1	0
CAT or HARE TRAPS ..... "	3	0
JACKAL or WOLF TRAPS ..... "	15	0

TREACHER & CO, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA

HYDRO-INCUBATORS.

AN easy means for the artificial hatching of Poultry, the apparatus being worked by simply recharging the cistern with hot water each night and morning.

INCUBATORS for 90 eggs, Rs. 72-0 each, cash.

TREACHER & CO., Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

DRY PLYMOUTH GIN.

COMPANY solicit a trial [illegible]it, which, from its PURITY [illegible]AVOUR, is establishing for [illegible]putation.

[illegible]s. 20-0 per dozen.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

GOLF KIT.

BALLS.	PLAY CLUB.
CLEEKS.	PUTTERS.
IRONS.	SPOONS.

Detailed Price Lists free on Application.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.
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TREACHER & CO.'S
SUPERFINE VIOLET POWDER

A combination of Farinaceous and Vegetable Ingredients, scented with agreeable and attractive Perfumes.

IT is perfectly innocuous to the most delicate skin well adapted as an absorbent Powder for

TOILET AND NURSERY USE IN INDIA and guaranteed to be

Free from Arsenic or other injurious matter.

	Cash.	Credit.
Small size Tins.....Rs.	0 10	0 12
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TREACHER and COMPANY, Ld.,
Pharmacists and Dispensing Chemists.

TRICHINOPOLY CHEROOTS AND CIGARS,

PREPARED expressly for TREACHER & Co., Limited, from finest, selected and thoroughly matured Tobacco, and acknowledged to be the cheapest and best Smokes procurable.

	Cash prices. Rs.	as.
NOBLE'S Cheroot shape, without straw box of 100	1	12
" " " .. " 250	4	0
DAWSON'S Cheroot shape, with straw .. " 100	1	12
" " " .. " 250	4	0
THOMSON'S, Cheroot shape, with straw .. " 100	1	12
" " " .. " 250	4	0
DINDIGUL'S Cheroot shape, with straw.. " 100	2	0
" " " .. " 250	4	8
HAVANNAH'S Cigar shape " .. " 100	2	0
" " " .. " 250	4	8
TREACHER'S GEM MUSTER, Cigar shape " 100	2	0
TREACHER'S MUSTER, slightly barrel shaped " .. " 100	2	4
" " " .. " 250	5	0
CLUB MUSTER, Cheroot and Cigar shape .. " 100	3	4

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

HINDUSTANI TRANSLATION of the Maiwand Courts-Martial, appears in the *Urdu Instructor* in every number. The *Urdu Instructor* and the *Persian Teacher* are published monthly Rs. 10 and 3 per annum respectively. 100 Hindustani Petitions in both the characters; each with a vocabulary; for the Higher Standard Rs. 2.—G. M. Munshi, Bombay, S. E.

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By Major H. L. Nutt,
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Price one Rupee per copy.
Apply to SUPERINTENDENT, Education Society's Press, Byculla.
Gondal, 21st July 1883.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

OPENING OF A BRANCH BOOKING OFFICE AT No. 22, PYDONEE, OPPOSITE POLICE STATION.

THE public are advised that on and after the first of August next, a Branch Booking Office will be opened at No. 22, Pydonee, for the booking of first, second, and third class passengers to all stations on this Railway and stations of connected Railways with which through booking arrangements are at present in force.

Passengers purchasing tickets at Pydonee may join the trains at either Bombay Terminus or Byculla, and also at Mazgid station, for such trains as stop there, and these tickets will be available on the date of issue and up to the last down train on the day following.

Passengers' Luggage will not be booked at Pydonee, but at the station of departure.

Parcels up to 20 seers in weight will be booked from the Pydonee office to all stations of this Railway and also to any station on Foreign Railways with which this Company have through booking arrangements.

Information as to Trains, Fares, &c., will be afforded by the Clerk in charge of Pydonee office on application.

The Office will be open daily from 8-30 a.m. to 6-30 p.m., local time.

E. W. KEILY,
Acting General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the twenty-sixth of July, 1883.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

UNDER MUTUAL SEPARATION from my wife, ESTHER FRANCIS HUNTER, on the 19th inst., I will NOT BE ANSWERABLE for DEBTS contracted by her from above date.

W. HUNTER, R. M. R.,
27th July, 1883. Ajmere.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE GENERAL ICE FACTORY Co., Ld.
THE MADRAS ICE MANUFACTURING Co., Ld.
THE NORTH-WEST PROVINCES & OUDH ICE Co., Ld.
THE PUNJAB ICE Co., Ld.

THE INDIAN BRANCH OFFICE of the above Companies will be conducted at DELHI on and from the 1st August, 1883.

KODANAAD ESTATES.
NEILGHERRY HILLS.

TRADE KTE in a triangle. MARK.

AWARDED Gold Medal, two Silver Medals, five First prizes and seven Diplomas.

This fine TEA in all varieties and priced very low is to be had only of

Messrs. BOLTON & Co.,
Sole Agents, Bombay.

MEASUREMENT OF TIME.

EXTRAORDINARY FIRST CLASS celebrated ENGLISH LEVER WATCHES BY MESSRS. ROTHERHAM & SONS, LONDON, SIMILAR TO THOSE of DENT'S, McCABE'S & JONES'S, in HALL MARK silver and gold cases, open case, SEMI-HUNTING, and HUNTING, with KEY and KEYLESS. To make very DURABLE. In time-giving unsurpassed. None can be had so cheap anywhere in India.

CHUBB'S BOX AND LOCK MART, BOMBAY,
A few paces from the *Times of India* Buildings.

MACKIE AND CO.'S WHISKY.

WE have just received a small consignment of this celebrated WHISKY. It is very well known in regimental messes and Government House, Calcutta.

Very old Special .....Rs. 25-8 per dozen.
Very old Laphroay ..... " 22-8 per dozen.
Sample bottle can be had at the same rate.
A Trial is Solicited.

MORENAS AND CO.,
15, Meadow-street, Bombay.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY,
IMPORTANT NOTICE.

RESUMPTION OF THROUGH BOOKING OF GOODS TRAFFIC OVER THE JUBALPUR LINE.

THE public are advised that in anticipation of the breaks between Burhanpur and Bhusawul being shortly repaired, all GOODS TRAFFIC will, after this date, be BOOKED THROUGH WITHOUT RESTRICTION over the Jubalpur Line.

Horses and Carriages as also Parcels exceeding one maund in weight will not be booked through until the 2nd proximo.

E. W. KEILY,
Acting General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the 31st of July, 1883.

THE CUTCH NAVIGATION COMPANY, Limited, (in Liquidation).

A GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 31st day of August next, 1883, at 3 p.m., at the registered office of the Company, No. 14, Meadow-street, Fort, for the following purposes :—

1st. To receive the Liquidator's account, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property disposed of.

2nd. To pass an extraordinary resolution with regard to the disposal of the books, vouchers and papers of the Company and the balance of cash in hand as shown by the account.

3rd. To transact such other business as may be submitted to the Meeting.

NANABHAI SORABJEE,
Liquidator.
Bombay, 31st July, 1883.

THE following CHANGES in connection with our firm, HARVEY and SABAPATHY, will take effect from 1st August, 1883.

Mr. HARVEY will take over the Bombay business and carry it on in future under the style and firm of HARVEY & Co.

Mr. SABAPATHY will take over the Madras business and carry it on under the style and firm of SABAPATHY & Co.

Messrs. Harvey & Co. will represent Messrs. Sabapathy & Co. in Bombay, and their joint Cotton Presses in the Bombay Presidency and Berar are shortly to be sold to a Limited Company to be formed in Bombay, and their Cotton Presses in the Madras Presidency are shortly to be sold to a Limited Company to be formed in Madras. Of the former Company Messrs. Harvey & Co. will be the Secretaries and Agents, and of the latter Company Messrs. Sabapathy and Co. will be the Secretaries and Agents.

Our Akkarry partnership continues.

A. HARVEY.
A. SABAPATHY MOODELLIAR.

WITH reference to the above Mr. W. C. H. GILL and Mr. NARAYAN DHONDOBA will, from the 1st August, 1883, SIGN our firm per procuration.

HARVEY & Co.
Bellary, 28th March, 1883.

No. 10 of 1883.

THE COMMISSARIAT STOREKEEPER GENERAL at Bombay invites SEALED TENDERS for the SUPPLY of TONNAGE on COUNTRY CRAFT from BOMBAY to the PERSIAN GULF (any Port), ADEN and KARACHI, for two years from 15th September 1883 to 14th September 1885.

Tenders will be received up to 11-30 a.m., of the 21st August 1883 only, when they will be opened in this Office and the rates read in the presence of such of the Tenderers as may attend.

Persons desirous of undertaking the Contract can obtain on application at this Office, printed forms of Tenders, Schedule of Articles to be supplied, and any other information they may require connected with the Contracts, and the conditions the Tenderers must abide by to prevent their Tenders being treated as *informal*.

No reasons will be assigned for the rejection of the lowest or any Tender.

No Tender will be received or attended to unless accompanied by the necessary Earnest Money in Treasury Receipt, viz., 2½ per cent. on the estimated value of the Contract.

No Earnest Money in cash will be received.

Further security deposit on acceptance of the Tender must be furnished in Cash or Government Loan Papers to the extent of 10 per cent. of the estimated value of the Contract.

In the event of Earnest Money being deposited in the Treasury and a Tender not being submitted, the Earnest Money will be forfeited to Government.

J. M. BOYD, Lieut.-Colonel,
Commissariat Storekeeper General, Presidency.
Commissariat Storekeeper General's Office, Bombay, July 16, 1883.

THE CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

THE COMMITTEE appointed by H. E. the Governor in Council for the purpose of ensuring an adequate representation of the products of the Bombay Presidency at the INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION to be held in Calcutta in December next, will be glad to receive CONTRIBUTIONS of Art-Ware, Jewellery, Ethnological Specimens, Fabrics, and other articles of adornment or luxury, in order that they may forward the same to Calcutta. The following extract from the notification published by the Government of Bengal, shows the nature of the articles which are more particularly wanted, and the conditions under which they may be exhibited :—

All articles, both useful and ornamental, which are manufactured by the natives of the East, will be shown at this Exhibition. There are skilled workmen in India, who, at the present time, make silk cloths; embroidery; car-rings and jewellery, both ingoid and silver; statues; carpets; screens; maslings; vessels of gold, silver, brass, iron, and earthenware; and many other articles which have not been here mentioned. All things made at the present time, both useful or ornamental, common or uncommon, will be exhibited, so that the prosperity and skill of India may be seen and her trade increased. All these things, as shown in the appended Regulations, may be sold during the Exhibition, but nothing need be sold unless the owner wishes.

In addition to things which are made at the present time, there are many rare and curious articles which are no longer made. In the possession of well-born natives and villagers also are many old and curious articles, such as rare old silk, gold and silver plate, engraved or enamelled, or set with golden flowers; hookas of choice patterns; musical instruments for which the natives of the East are so famous; pictures and paintings; stone vessels, flowered or studded; armour engraved with gold or rare devices; jewellery and other old and curious work which have been handed down from father to son from old times, and which the owners do not wish to part with or sell. Some of these things were formerly manufactured and commonly used, but now the art is forgotten, and no longer can they be made, or else, although the art is not forgotten, they are not made because they are not sold now so much as they used to be. If foreigners can see these things they may admire them, and perhaps the old manufacture will spring up again and flourish.

Such things will, if the owners are willing, be borrowed for the exhibition and taken the greatest care of. They will not be sold, nor will they be given to any one, but will remain under the care of the Executive Committee appointed by the Government of Bengal until the Exhibition is closed, and they will then be returned to their owners. Things exhibited in this way will show the glory and the richness of the East in past and present times, and the wealth of the natives will be seen in the excellence and splendour of these loan exhibits.

Persons who are desirous of sending articles intended in the first place for exhibition, and afterwards for sale, are requested to communicate, as early as possible, with the undersigned.

The Committee will do everything in their power to show to advantage all articles entrusted to them, and the greatest possible care will be taken of the same as long as they are under the Committee's charge. At the same time exhibitors are requested to note that neither the President, the Committee, nor the Honorary Secretary, will be responsible for any damage arising during transmission, exhibition, detention at Calcutta, or return of goods to Bombay.

By order of the Committee,
J. GORDON,
Honorary Secretary.
Bombay, 31st July, 1883.

THE *BOMBAY GAZETTE* POONA AGENCY.

From this date we have appointed Messrs. COOPER and Co. our Agents at Poona for the sale of

The *Bombay Gazette* Daily,
" " " Overland Summary,
" " " Weekly Budget,
" " " Bi-weekly,
The Indian Travellers' Guide,
Maclean's Guide to Bombay,

and for all other publications issuing from this office.

Apply at Messrs. COOPER and Co.'s Branch Establishment, East-street, Poona

TREACHER AND COMPANY'S SUPERIOR WINES FROM DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

CASH Per doz. Quarts. Rs.	a.				CASH Per doz. Quarts. Rs.	a.
16	0	... Fine Old ...	...MARSALA...	... ... Sicily..	16	0
		The finest quality produced, softened by age, and mellow to the palate.				
30	0	... Fine Old ...	..MADEIRA...	direct from the Island...	30	0
		Rich and full of body, the flavour and aroma being fully developed by the East Indian trip.				
33	0	... Superior Old ...	PORT ...	Portugal...	33	0
		This, our well-known Invalid Wine is largely recommended by the Medical Profession, and is of a quality rarely met with in this country.				
26	0	... Fine Old ...	PORT ...	Portugal...	26	0
		A wholesome nutritious Wine, thoroughly matured before bottling.				
18	0	... Fine ...	PORT ...	Portugal...	18	0
		A rich fruity Wine of good flavour and character.				
21	8	... Fine Old ...	...CARLOWITZ...	Hungarian...	21	8
		This Wine has a decided taste and flavour of the grape, and is highly recommended by the Medical Profession for its medicinal properties.				
17	0	.. Fine...	...CARLOWITZ...	Hungarian...	17	0
		Softness and mellowness are marked features of this Wine.				

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.
WINE MERCHANTS,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

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THE increasing demand for this noted blend of SCOTCH WHISKY proves it to be THE BEST at the PRICE, per dozen Rs. 22-8.

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NOTICES.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

IMPORTANT REDUCTION IN PASSENGER FARES.

THE public are informed that on and after the FIRST AUGUST next, the PASSENGER FARES at present charged over this Railway will be REDUCED as follows, namely :—

First Class to 12 pies per mile.
Second Class to 6 pies per mile.
Third Class by Mail Train to 3 pies per mile.
Third Class by Passenger and Mixed Trains to 2½ pies per mile.

Return Tickets of all Classes will be issued at a fare and a half between Bombay and Callian and intermediate Stations.

First and Second Class Return Tickets will be issued to and from all other Stations on this line at two Single fares. The present Rates for excess Luggage, Parcels, Horses, and Carriages remain unaltered.

Further particulars can be obtained at the Stations or of the undersigned on application.

E. W. KEILLY,
Acting General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the twenty-third of July, 1883.

NOTICE.

SATARA MUNICIPAL LOAN OF Rs. 3,00,000.
Third and last Instalment of Rupees 1,00,000.

WITH reference to Government Notification No. 3335, dated 2nd December, 1879, published at page 942 of the *Government Gazette* of the 4th December 1879, on the subject of the "Satara Water Works Loan of Rupees 3,00,000," the undersigned hereby invites for SEALED TENDERS for the THIRD INSTALMENT of the LOAN, namely, for the sum of (Rs. 1,00,000) One Lakh.

2. Repayment of the Loan will be secured by the Municipal Revenues of the Town of Satara.

3. The Third instalment is to bear interest at per cent per annum and is to be repaid by consecutive half yearly instalments of Rs. 11,500 each, consisting of interest and part repayment of principal of the first, second and third instalments of the Loan together.

4. Forms of Tender and further particulars can be obtained, free of charge, from the undersigned or from the office of the Satara Municipality by applications, post paid, to the Chairman of the Managing Committee.

5. Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned at Satara up to 5 p.m. of the 25th August, 1883.

6. The undersigned does not bind the Municipal Commissioners of Satara to accept the lowest or any Tender.

7. Acceptance of Tenders will be made known within the 5th day of September, 1883.

8. No intimations will be given of the Tenders that are not accepted.

9. Sanction of the Governor General of India in Council has been duly accorded to the raising of the Loan.

W. R. PRATT,
Collector and President, Satara Municipality.
Satara, Collector's Office, 17th July, 1883.

SPECIAL SHORT ADVERTISEMENTS.

The scale for these Advertisements is as follows :—Not exceeding 3 lines, Re. 1; each succeeding line, As. 8. No trade advertisements are admitted under this scale.

DAILY INCREASING DEMANDS; ANNUAL INCREASED SALES; and thousands of testimonials are results directly attributable to the acknowledged superiority of the SINGER COMPANY'S MACHINES, which have won a world-wide popularity for perfection of mechanism, strength and beauty of stitch, and adaptability to every class of sewing. For particulars, apply at 2, Church Gate-street, Bombay.

A CHANCE.—Two excellent PIANOS equal to new, for disposal at lowest prices. Guarantee given. Apply to Mr. Harrison, 1, Clare-road, Byculla.

SMOKER'S DELIGHT.—Little Devils, made of the choicest leaves of Habannah tobacco of a delicate flavor and fragrant aroma. Rs. 3-8 per 100.—Howard & Co.

4,500 TONS COAL WANTED by the Manager Bhaonagar-Gondal Railway. Forms of tender to be had at office of Port Store-keeper, 19, Apollo-street, Fort.

RECEIVED your last letter of Tuesday, my own darling. Rather a down-hearted one. Think of a bright time to come. Your own loving, WELSHMAN.

DAWSON'S PRIME, per 100 Re. 1-12, fragrant, free and easy smokes. Acknowledged to be the best and cheapest cheroots procurable.—Howard & Co.

NORTON'S Patent "Abyssinian" TUBE-WELLS never fail, 400 to 100,000 gallons an hour. One on view at Charni-road gardens, Cost trifling.—John S. Elmore & Co., 34, Meadow-street.

WANTED, IMMEDIATELY, Rs. 2,000 on the security of a Bill of Sale on Furniture, &c., which cost Rs. 3,000 two years ago. The Bill of Sale may be registered, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent. is offered. "R. E." this Office.

LOST, PROVISIONAL RECEIPT for ONE SHARE in the PORT CANNING and LAND IMPROVEMENT COMPANY, Limited, in the name of ISHWARLAL OCHAVRAM, share No. 2645. Public are cautioned not to deal with the same.

TO BE LET, in the Fort, cool airy QUARTERS, suitable for a Bachelor. Rent Rs. 40. Apply "X," care of this paper.

THE CHAMPION CUE, as used by Roberts, Cooke and all the best players, can only be had from JOHN ROBERTS, Jr., & Co., Limited.

SHIRTS.—Our new designs are now opened out. Patterns and measurement instructions post free.—Badham, Pile & Co., Limited.

THE Invested Funds of the Standard Life Office amount to Six Millions Pounds Sterling and the Revenue exceeds £576,000 per annum.

CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES in great variety, just to hand from the first makers of Paris and Vienna. J. NEUBERG, Bombay.

THE CHEAPEST HOUSE for HOUSEHOLD and TRAVELLERS' REQUISITES, &c., is BARTON & COMPANY, Church Gate-street, Bombay.

"OUR SPECIALITE" Washing Tweed SUITS, guaranteed all-wool, Rs. 14, cash only. Y. A. LUCKA and Co., Tailors, Meadow-st., Fort, Bombay.

TAILORING.—Just opened out a fine assortment of new Tweeds and Angolas, Waterproof Clothing, &c. Inspection solicited. John Mahomed & Co., 16, Meadow-str.

MACLEAN'S GUIDE to BOMBAY and BOMBAY DIRECTORY for 1883. Price, Rs. 5; with postage, Rs. 5-4. To be had at the *Bombay Gazette* Office.

RUINART'S Champagne, green seal, established 1791. Magnums, Rs. 98 per doz.; quarts, Rs. 50 per doz.; pints, Rs. 26 per doz. Apply Ewart, Latham & Co.

J. COCKBURN and CAMPBELL'S EDINBURGH WHISKY, Rs. 26 per dozen. Apply EWART, LATHAM and Co., 3, Church Lane.

BASS'S Champagne Ale, bull-dog brand, bottled by R. Pörter and Co., first prize at Melbourne Intl. Exhibition. In cases 4 doz. quarts Rs. 5-6 per doz; 6 dozen pints Rs. 3-6 per doz. Apply Ewart, Latham & Co.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

TUESDAY EVENING, JULY 31.

THERE is no alteration in the price of Government stocks in London. The value of Money remains unchanged.

Chartered Bank shares, £23 ; Mercantiles, £15 10s. ; Hongkongs, £59 10s.

In the General Produce Markets, Wheat is unchanged. Rapeseed strong ; Linseed quieter.

The Manchester Market is firmer.

The Liverpool Cotton Market yesterday closed firm both for Surats and Americans ; arrivals quiet. Sales 12,000 bales, of which 800 bales Surats. In New York, Middling-Uplands are quoted at 10 cents, and "futures" for the month of October 9·86 cents. The figures to date are given below :—

	1883.	1882.	1881.
Total receipts up to Saturday ..	5,916,000	4,628,500	5,712,700
Two days' receipts	1,000	700	3,000
Total since 1st Sept.	5,917,000	4,629,200	5,716,300

The Oriental Bank Corporation announce that "in consequence of the fall in Government Securities and delay in recovering outstanding accounts, there will be no dividend paid for the past half-year, but £32,000 have been carried forward." It will be observed that the above sum is equal to two per cent. on the capital, which is just the dividend the Bank has been paying for some time past. Under the circumstances we consider the strengthening of the Reserve is a far more important matter than declaring a dividend, and the Directors have acted in the interests of the institution in the course adopted. It is reported that some changes have taken place on the Board. Mr. Young, the former Deputy Chairman, has accepted the offer of President, but Sir W. J. W. Baynes, who for sometime past occupied the Chair, still remains a Director. The last quotation for the shares on the London Stock Exchange is £11 10s.

EXCHANGE opened quiet at 1-32d. under last evening's quotations, and during the day there was a buyer of three months' Bank Credits for the Mail at 1s. 7 11-16d. Owing to the drop in rates, the demand for Bank paper for forward delivery has fallen off considerably.

Bank Bills on Demand	1s. 7 7-16d.
Do. Telegraphic Transfer.....	1s. 7¼d.
Do. three months' sight	1s. 7d.
Credits, do. do.	1s. 7 23-32d.
Documents, do. do.	1s. 7¼.

GOVERNMENT PAPER quiet. 4 and 4½ per cents, Rs. 99 1-16 ; 4½ per cents, Rs. 103⅞ to Rs. 103⅝.

SHARES.—Some Bank of Bombays have changed hands at Rs. 745 ex.-div. Port Canning shares have declined to Rs. 350. In Press Companies sales were made at advanced rates of Akbars at Rs. 1,110, Berars at Rs. 617½, and Bombay cottons at Rs. 820. A few Mofussils were placed at Rs. 457½. Mill shares are stronger, and rates have further advanced. Business is reported in Allinces at Rs. 1,295 ; Albert Edwards at Rs. 542½ ; Dhurrumseys at Rs. 575 ; Hydrabads at Rs. 1,270 ; Jewraz Balloos at Rs. 1,230 ; Khataos at Rs. 1,122½ ; Mahaluxmi's at Rs. 960 ; Man ckjee Petits at Rs. 1,450 ; Mazagons at Rs. 265 ; Morarjees at Rs. 1,575 ; Orientals at Rs. 772½ ; Parells at Rs. 375 ; Sholapores at Rs. 1,675 ; and Western Indias at Rs. 1,065. Very little doing in other stocks.

COTTON remains quiet but steady, and there is very little doing in the market. Further reports to hand from Akola state that there has been dry and sunny weather there during the week past, and the ryots are thus enabled to cleanse their fields from grass and jungle. The young plants, on the whole, appear healthy, but the later sowings seem to have suffered from excessive moisture, and part of them has been destroyed altogether, while the surviving plants look small and backward. The loss is estimated at two annas in the valley. On the hilly districts in the south, however, the crops are reported to be in a thriving condition. We quote :—

	Per candy.
Machine-ginned Broach,	.....Rs. none.
Oomrawuttee, Fine	..... none.
Do. F. G.	..... " 161-162
Do. Good	..... " 156-157
Do. F. G. F.	..... " 149-150
Dhollera, Fine	..... none.
Do. F. G.	..... " 161-162
Do. Good	..... " 156-157
Do. F. G. F.	..... " 148-149
Bengal	..... " 134
Westerns Good	..... " 152
Do. F. G. F.	..... " 148
Dharwar Sawginned, Good	..... " 160-161
Compta	..... " 140

LINSEED is quiet at Rs. 5-10 per cwt., at which there are willing sellers.

RAPESEED is also quiet, and Guzerat can be had at Rs. 7-8 per cwt. Cawnpore unchanged at Rs. 7 to Rs. 7-2.

WHEAT is inactive without any alteration in prices.

FREIGHTS.—The improved tone continues, although the business reported to-day is small. Liverpool *via* Canal ready, about 18s. 9d. to 20s. Antwerp loading, 2s. 6d. for Wheat ; 2s. for Measure-[illegible] Liverp and Dunkirk, 27s. 6d. is [illegible]s. 15 ; Trieste, Rs. 20. There is a fair enquiry without [illegible]

[illegible]LL AND STOCK LISTS.

[illegible] BANKS.

	Shares,	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.					
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5p. ct.	745
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	5 do.	985
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	4 do.	640
EXCHANGE BANKS.	£	£			
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	6 do.	130
National Bank of India	37,320	250	12½	5 do.	98

LAND COMPANIES.

New Colaba Co.	4,000	3,000	2,925	Rs. 25	825
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,400	1,400	Rs. 13	350

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	150	5,000	2,850	Rs. 125	1,110
Akola Press Co	85	500	all	Rs. 75	500
Albert Ginning Co	100	500	all	18p.ct.	425
Albert Press Co., Karachee	200	2,000	1,100	Rs. 170	1,125
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 51	405
Bellary	625	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	575
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.	600	500	all	Rs. 75	617½
Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co ..	1,400	250	all	10	70
Bombay Cotton Press Co	200	500	500		820
Colaba Press Co	500	1,880	1,880	50	1,215
Dhollera P. & G. Co..	560	330	all	30	245
East India Press Co ..	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 153	1,370
Fort Press Co	150	325	8,500	350 p.a.	2,825
French Press Co	300	500	all	75 p.a.	610
Manmar Manfg. Co	600	250	250		330
Mofussil Co	3,125	400	400	Rs. 30	457½
New Indian Press	2,400	125	125	Rs. 30	320
Prince of W. Press	500	....	500	100	675
Sind Press Co	40	2,000	750	Rs. 75	535
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co	100	1,000	750	Rs. 150	1,275
Sassoon Press Co	300	0	500	25	600
Volkart's Press Co ...	450	0		60	765

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.s steamer Chupra, 1,432 tons Captain A. M. Keighly, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta (14th July), with a general cargo.

THE steamer Sheik, 1,283 tons, Captain R. Johnstone, arrived in harbour on the 30th ultimo from Port Said (18th July) in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Ralli Brothers.

PASSENGERS BY THE MANILLA.—The following is the list of passengers per Italian mail steamer Manilla, Captain A Cruciani, sailing to day at 10 a.m. for Genoa—Mr. W. A. Slattery, Mr. T. Wood, Major Morgan, Mrs. Schultz, and Mr. A. Spitteler.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.s steamer Abyssinia, 1,713 tons, Captain A. Clark, arrived in harbour yesterday from Persian Gulf via Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie, Mr. D. Morris, Captain Lyde, Conductor Kerr James, and 31 deck.

THE P. and O. Co.s steamer Venetia, 1,728 tons, Captain A. B. Daniell, which arrived in harbour on the 30th ultimo from Trieste, etc., brought the English mails and the following cargo :—230 boxes silver, 10 cases champagne, 2 box rupees and notes, 2 boxes gold coins, 2 boxes specie, 3 packages glasswares, 3 cases boots, 5 cases silk piece-goods, 1 case saffron, 31 cases butter, 3 cases cigarettes, 20 packages shell, 14 bales twist, 10 cases metal, 34 packages color and paints, 3 cases wine, 39 packages piece-goods, bundles ivory, 78 packages papers, 30 packages lithographic stones, 8 boxes gold, and many packages merchandise.

ARRIVALS.

July	Vessels.	Commanders.	From.
30	Sheik (s)	Johnstone ..	Port Said, July 16.
31	Chupra (s)	Keighly	Calcutta, July 14.
	Abyssinia (s).....	Clark	Bussorah, July 18.

DEPARTURE.

July	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
31	Indus (s)	Shallard	London.

The steamer Manilla, Cruciani, to Marseilles, obtained her port clearance yesterday.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Sheikh, to Marseilles.
Steamer Pachumba, to Kurrachee.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JULY 31.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Theasaly (s)—105 kegs iron rose nails, Hassumally Lallmeya.

FROM LONDON.

Ancona (s)—71 cases oilmanstores, Essoofally Lallmeya ; 10 packages glasswares, Manjeebhoy Canjee ; 40 packages oilmanstores, confectionery, soap, &c., Coolam all, Jeewanjee and Co ; 3 cases ham and cheese, Sorabjee Hormusjee Bhaiwalla ; 30 cases victoria blue, Abdoolally Sumsoodin ; 50 boxes brandy, D. La Dady and Co.

Bertha (s)—2 cases stationery A. Goolamhoosein ; 25 drums turpentine and 50 drums linseed oil, Hajee Esmal Jaliha and Son ; 1 hogshead brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee ; 10 qr. casks wine, Jamsetjee Framjee.

Mirzapore (s)—1 hogshead brandy, D. Nusserwanjee.

Venetia s—32 boxes gold and silver bars (Rs. 240,000), the National Bank ; 2 boxes gold bars (Rs. 100,000), the Agra Bank ; 50 boxes silver bars (Rs. 152,100), 1 box gold coins (Rs. 3,960), The C. M. Bank ; 79 boxes silver bars (Rs. 190,000), the H. and S. Bank ; 4 boxes gold bars (Rs. 210,000), the French Bank.

FROM ANTWERP.

Ancona (s)—24 cases plate glass, Surajally Mamoojee,

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JULY 30.

Ruxton, Lieut.-Col., Worcestershire, Regt., from leave, from England.
Gyll, Major, R. A., from leave, from England.

July 31.

Strettall, Major, 9th Madras N. I., on leave, from Secundrabad.
Lyde, Capt. 3rd Belooches, Regt., on duty, from Hydrabad Sind.

DEPARTURES.—JULY 29.

Thompson, Surg., on leave, to Poona.

July 31.

Cave, Capt. Suffolk, Regt., on leave, to England.
Reeves, Capt. R. I. Fusiliers, to join to Belgaum.
Hubbersty, Major, R. I. Fusiliers, on leave, to England.
Prendergast, Lieut., R. E., on leave, to England.
Eaton, Surg., on duty, to Kirkee.
Ruggles, Sub-Inspr. Army School, on duty to Poona.
Patch, Major, Asst. Comsy.-Genl., on leave, to England.
Arnott, Surg.-Major, on leave, to England.
Arbuckle, Major, R. A., on leave, to England.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.
REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lt.-Col. the Hon. L. H. BAYLEY, Commandant, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, Aug. 1.

There will be drill in the Town Hall this day, Wednesday, 1st instant, at 9 p. m. Rifles and accoutrements will be issued at the Town Hall.

A. H. ATKINSON,
Capt. and Adjt., B.V.R.C.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Head-Quarters, Simla, July 24.

It is notified for general information that the distribution of the Revised Transport Regulations Part II. having been completed, H. E. the C.-in-C. directs that these Regulations be now quoted in official correspondence.

The C.-in-C. in India is pleased to make the following appointments :—

9th N. I.—Lieut. G. C. G. Beaver, 2nd Battn. Lincolnshire Regt., a candidate for the Bengal S. C., to be Offg. Wing Officer on probation, dated 11th July.

15th N. I.—Lieut. H. Trevor, 2nd Battn. Cheshire Regt., a candidate for the Bengal S. C., to be Offg. Wing Officer on probation, dated 6th July.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards, Bgde. Surgn. J. Tulloch, promoted to Depy. Surgn. Genl. is to proceed forthwith to England.

The undermentioned candidates passed the lower standard in Persian on 2nd July :—

Lieuts. P. R. Bairnsfather, F. Hawkins and G. U. Browne, Staff Corps ; Lieut. W. Giles, Suffolk Regt., attached 21st N. I. on probation ; Lieut. C. G. Parsons, Cheshire Regt. attached 1st N. I. on probation ; Lieut. H. F. Loch, Royal Irish Regt. attached 1st N. I. on probation ; Passed Hospital Apprentice E. A. Bedell, Sub-Medl. Dept.

In accordance with para. 5 of G. G. O. No. 1084 of 1878, H. E. the C.-in-C. is pleased to sanction the formation of the following committee of paymastership in the 2nd Battn. Derbyshire Regt., consequent on the departure on six months' sick leave to England, of Hony. Capt. T. C. Hood, Army pay Dept :—Major J. H. S. Seagram, President ; Capts. J. G. Sparkes and W. B. Coney, Members.

H. E. the C.-in-C. is pleased to sanction the formation of the following committee of paymastership in the 9th Lancers, consequent on the retirement of Hony. Major (Paymaster) J. W. M'Farlan :—Major Honble H. Legge, President ; Major H. W. Apperley, and Capt. (Bt. Major) B. Gough, Members.

The non-commissioned officers named below have been awarded silver medals for long service and good conduct, with gratuities of £5 each on discharge :—Sergt. Major J. Hanretty, Viceroy's Band ; Sergt. Instrs. J. Hancock, E. Ben. Ry. V. R. C. ; L. Whitham, E. I. Ry. V. R. C. ; G. Davis, E. I. Ry. V. R. C. ; A. Hill, 3rd Punjab V. R. C. ; H. Theobald, Rangoon and Irrawaddy State Ry. V. R. C ; Sergts. C. G. A. B. Clements, A. Wakeman, and E. T. Chase, Comst. Dept. ; Sergt. G. Carruthers, Hospital Sergt., Lunatic Military Asylum, Sanawar ; Sergt. T. Poole, Chief Warder, Military Prison, Meean Meer ; Sergt. A. Carpenter, Bazar Sergeant ; Bugle Major A. Turner, 5th N. I.

The fifteen months' leave to England, on private affairs, granted to Lieut. C. S. Greenwood, 10th Hussars, in G. O. C. C. dated 16th April, 1882, is extended to the 25th July, 1883.

The undermentioned officers are granted leave to England, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

2nd Battn. Bedfordshire Regt.—Major H. J. Cholmeley, for twelve months, on urgent private affairs.

2nd Battn. Leicestershire Regt.—Lieut. C. H. Hunt, for twelve months, on urgent private affairs.

2nd Battn. Royal Warwickshire Regt.—Qr.-mr. (Hony. Capt.) T. P. Geoghegan, for twelve months, on medical certificate.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence :—13th Bengal Lancers.—Lieut. F. G. Atkinson, (Staff Corps,) to Calcutta and Darjeeling, on medical certificate, from 15th Jan. to 15th July, 1883.

BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Calcutta Gazette*, July 25.)

Mr. A. Weekes, Magte. and Colr. Purneah, leave for two months and twenty-nine days, from 28th inst.

Mr. G. Toynbee, Jt. Magte. and Depy. Colr., Purneah, to act as Magte. and Colr. of that dist. during absence of Mr. A. Weekes.

The services of Mr. C. S. Bayley, Offg. Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, are placed temply. at the disposal of the Executive Committee of the Calcutta International Exhibition of 1883-84.

Mr. H. J. Reynolds, Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Genl. and Revenue Depts., on special duty, to act as a Member of the Board of Revenue, during absence of Mr. H. L. Dampier, C. I. E.

Mr. T. Norman, Offg. Magte. and Colr., Mozufferpore, to act in first grade of Magtes. and Colrs., from 6th May last, vice Mr. W. Kemble.

Mr. G. D. Graham, Offg. Dist. Superint. of Police, Rungpore, to act as Persl. asst. to the Inspr. Genl. of Police, during absence of Mr. A. V. Knyvett.

Mr. W. Griffiths, Principal, Hooghly College, leave for three months, from 10th prox.

Mr. J. W. Booth, Profr., Presidency College, on leave, to act as Principal of the Hooghly College, during absence of Mr. W. Griffiths.

Mr. J. Eliot, Offg. Principal, Presidency College, and Meteorological Reporter to Govt., leave for three months from 5th prox.

Mr. A. Pedler, Profr., Presidency College, to act as Principal of that College and as Meteorological Reporter to Govt., during absence of Mr. J. Eliot.

Mr. H. F. Drummond, Asst. Sub-Depy. Opium Agent, Monghyr, leave for three months, from 15th inst.

Mr. T. Drake, Sub-Depy. Opium Agent, Hajeepore, has been granted by the Secy. of State for India an extension of furlough for six months.

Mr. C. F. Wintle, Sub-Depy. Opium Agent, Cawnpore, leave for three months, from 24th April last.

Mr. J. H. Gilliland, Profr., Engring College, Howrah, having passed by the high proficiency standard in Bengali at the exams held on the 2nd inst., is allowed to draw the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

Mr. C. J. Cole, Asst. Engr., secd. grade, Northern Bengal and Tirhoot State Railway Extensions, is granted three months' privilege leave, from 15th Aug.

Mr. W. Ghadwick, Asst. Engr., secd. grade, Tirhoot State Railway, is granted three months' privilege leave, from 13th inst.

(*Assam Gazette*, July 21.)

In consequence of the return to duty of Mr. A. C. Campbell, Offg. Depy. Comr. Secd. Grade, the following officers reverted to the grades specified against their names with effect from the 9th July.

To Depy. Comr., Third Grade, Mr. G. Stevenson, Offg. Depy. Comr., Secd. Grade.

To Depy. Comr., Fourth Grade, Maj. W. F. Trotter, Offg. Depy. Comr., Third Grade.

To Asst. Comr., First Grade, Mr. A. J. Primrose, Offg. Depy. Comr., Fourth Grade.

In consequence of the departure on privilege leave of Mr. J. K. Wight, Offg. Depy. Comr., Fourth Grade, to Act in the Third Grade, from 9th July.

Maj. W. F. Trotter, Offg. Comr., Fourth Grade, to act in the Third Grade, from 9th July.

Mr. G. W. Place, Offg. Asst. Comr., First Grade, to act as Depy. Comr., Fourth Grade, vice Maj. Trotter.

MADRAS ARMY ORDERS.

Head-Quarters, Ootacamund July 26.

Lieut. A. T. F. Edwards, Royal Irish Regt., has been transferred to the Bombay Presidency as a Probationer for the Staff Corps.

Lieut. T. Quin, officg. Wing Officer, 23rd Regt. N. I., and C. M. Fales, Offg. Wing Officer, 27th Regt. N. I., are, under instructions received from Government, directed to join the 6th and 5th Punjab Native Infantry, respectively.

The undermentioned candidates are reported as qualified by the lower Standard test in Hindustani :—Rangoon, 2nd July.—Lieut. H. H. Butler, 4.1st North Irish Division, Royal Artillery ; Lieut. C. H. M. Hitchins, 1st West India Regt. (Probationer, Staff Corps) ; Trumpeter J. Halley, 4.1st North Irish Div., Royal Artillery ; Drummers G. Ellwood and P. G. Nimick, 2nd Bat. Middlesex Regt. ; and Lieut. W. E. Wimble, the Welsh Regt. (Probationer, Staff Corps). Toungboo, 2nd July.—Surg. C. Williamson, Army Medical Depart. and Pte. W. Callan, 2nd Bat. Bedfordshire Regt.

A class for instruction in Military Signalling will assemble at Bangalore on 1st Sept. and will be composed of non-commissioned officers and soldiers from native regiments to be detailed by General Officers commanding.

The undermentioned officer has leave of absence : —Indian Medical Depart.—Surgeon J. L. Poynder, from 25th April 1883, or date of departure, to the date of his transfer to civil employment in the General Provinces.

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CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

AT the MEETING of the COMMITTEE NOMINATED by GOVERNMENT for the purpose of ensuring an adequate representation of the PRODUCTS of the BOMBAY PRESIDENCY at the INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION to be held in Calcutta in December next, it was RESOLVED that to enable the Committee to defray all expenses that might be incurred in procuring and sending exhibits to Calcutta, in employing Agents, and generally in carrying out the objects for which the Committee were appointed by Government, a SUBSCRIPTION LIST BE OPENED to which the Community generally, European and Native, be invited to subscribe ; and that the subscriptions be paid into an account to be kept with the BANK OF BOMBAY in the names of JAMES THORBURN, Esq., DINSHAW MANECKJEE PETIT, Esq., and SORABJEE SHAPURJEE BENGALI, Esq., to be operated upon by them.

SUBSCRIPTIONS will accordingly be received by the BANK OF BOMBAY, where an account has been opened in the names of these gentlemen.

By order of the Committee,
J. GORDON,
Honorary Secretary.

Bombay, 31st July, 1883.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.

BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

ACWORTH—July 31, at Malabar Hill, the wife of H. A. Acworth, C. S., of a daughter.

DEATHS.

HELM—July 30, at his residence on the Mill premises, Girgaum, of Diarrhœa, Mr. James Helm, Manager, Bombay United Spinning and Weaving Company, aged, 49, deeply regretted. He was buried at the Sewree Cemetery. The funeral took place yesterday at 4 p.m.

MEHTA—July 31, at Charniwady, Rustomjee, the eldest son of Dr. Cooverjee Dorabjee Mehta, late Assistant Surgeon of the Gloria Charitable Dispensary, aged 22. His funeral will take place this morning at 7 o'clock.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTH.

DICK-LAUDER—July 22, at Mussoorie, the wife of G. W. D. Dick-Lauder, Opium Department, of a son.

DEATHS.

MARSHALL—July 20, at Simla, George Leycester Knox, youngest son of Major and Mrs. G. F. L. Marshall, aged 5 years, 3 months, and 20 days.

WILSON—July 24, at Mussoorie, Mr. Frederic Wilson, aged 66.

The Bombay Gazette

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1883.

IT is on many accounts unfortunate, we think, that the Supreme Government, in declaring its views and general policy regarding the introduction of the local self-government scheme, should not have discriminated more carefully between the essentially different functions and position of municipal and district local boards. The Government of India Resolution of 18th May, 1882, expressed the desire of the Supreme Government "that while maintaining and extending as far as practicable the plan of municipal government in the cities and towns of each province, the local Governments will also maintain and extend throughout the country, in every district where intelligent non-official agency can be found, a network of local boards to be charged with definite duties and entrusted with definite funds." The Resolution prescribed in general terms the mode in which the municipal and local boards might be formed, and laid down in some detail the nature of the control which was intended under the new scheme to be reserved to Government and the officials concerned. But there is no indication given in this important Resolution that Government had sufficiently discriminated between the essentially different position which is at present occupied in this and some other Presidencies by the existing municipal and district committees. The Resolution being a general one, and applicable to the whole of India, it may perhaps have been impossible at the time to discriminate as clearly as seems now desirable ; but much adverse criticism would, we think, have been forestalled and averted had it been clearly recognised, first, that municipal differs essentially from district administration and is now carried on under totally different conditions ; secondly, that a degree and method of control which would be altogether undesirable in municipal affairs might well be desirable, if not indispensable, for some time to come in district administration. The opponents of Lord Ripon's scheme skilfully profited by this want of discrimination. Nearly all the official objections which have been urged with such force and persistency against the new scheme are, we think, to some extent fairly applicable to that portion of the scheme which is concerned with district administration ; but they are, in our opinion, wholly inapplicable to city municipal management, which in all parts of this Presidency is conducted under essentially different conditions. Compare for one moment the composition of any of the district local fund committees and that of the chief municipality of the district, and the contrast will at once be seen to be most marked. In the former the comparative weakness, not to say uselessness, of the non-official element is the most common characteristic. In the larger municipalities not only is there plenty of local talent available, but there is a growing sense of public spirit, and of interest in public business. To treat both district and municipal boards on practically the same footing, to subject them both to a similar measure of rigorous control, and to place the independence of both of them absolutely at the mercy of the chief local official seems to be as unwise as it is unnecessary. But it is clear from the measure sanctioned at the last meeting of the Council that it is not the intention of Government to proceed in this direction. Two Bills will shortly be introduced into the local Legislative Council that the Bombay Government has actually done this. Both Bills have been framed on very much the same general lines ; and in both of them the most stringent powers of control have been retained in the hands of Government.

As we have before pointed out, the working of the new Municipal Bill will practically depend entirely on the manner in which this control is exercised ; and unfortunately there is no guarantee that the spirit of the new policy will be acted up to by those who may now or hereafter have to administer it. Nay, the papers seem to afford very clear indications that the Bombay Government still regards the whole scheme as hazardous, and is determined that if any change be made it shall be hedged around by provisions which may simply result in stereotyping by legal enactment the present arbitrary régime. The Government declares in the most formal manner that the past administration of Local Funds has been on the whole "highly successful." Similarly, it declares that the working of the Municipal Act has been upon the whole satisfactory, and that no occasion has arisen for any alteration of the administrative portions of it. But it says bluntly that some scheme or another has perforce to be prepared to satisfy the importunity of the Supreme Government ; so the new Bills have been drafted accordingly. There is an old proverb about letting well alone ; and if district and municipal administration in Bombay has hitherto been so remarkably successful, it would seem a pity to spoil it for the sake of an administrative experiment. We cannot, however, share the confidence of our local Government that the administration hitherto has been so admirable as to preclude all possibility of improving it. It is perfectly clear to our own mind that if the Government insists on ordinarily appointing the Collectors as presidents of municipalities, the existing system will be continued absolutely unchanged in all essentials, and the main object and purpose of the new legislation will be defeated. A distinct and formal pledge should be given that the Government will only avail itself of this power in order to meet exceptional cases. On the other hand, if the Government are liberal enough to allow any of the chief municipalities to elect their own presidents, it is extremely doubtful whether any non-official would care to accept the most invidious position in which the Bill places him. The position of any non-official as president would be difficult, if not untenable. But the alternative, fortunately, is not limited to a choice between the Collector on the one hand and the duly qualified non-official on the other. There are numerous other highly-trained officials, both native and European, who are perfectly well qualified to be presidents of municipalities ; and if the Collector could be definitely excluded by law from the position of president, with full liberty to Government to appoint any other official who might be acceptable to the municipality, the spirit of local self-government would have freer play.

The Bombay Local Boards Bill is in one point of view a very remarkable production. The law professes to be amended so as to secure to the local committees "greater independence" in administering the funds placed at their disposal for local purposes. This precious independence the Bill seeks to secure by imposing on the district boards, control of the most stringent character. To prevent the possibility of any of the boards wishing to criticize past and present schemes, or to modify any existing arrangements, the Bill takes very good care to dispose of all their budget for them in advance,—see Sections 44, 46, and 47. Boards are bound to pay all sums fixed by Government for the payment of any officers or servants employed in any Government office on Local Fund business. They are bound to pay as at present one-third of Local Fund receipts to education. They are responsible for the maintenance of "any building *and other property*" which may now or may hereafter be vested in the local boards. They are responsible for the construction, maintenance, and repair of all roads *and other local works*. They are bound to execute all important work through the Government Executive Engineer, over whose work and estimates they are given no control whatever. They are bound to provide as best they may a considerable annual balance. It seems to be perfectly plain that the main function of the local boards will be purely ministerial—namely, to spend the public money in the manner thus clearly and considerately laid down for them by the law. What balance will be available to dispose of in each district when the charges above specified have been provided for, we should much like to know. Well-informed persons tell us that the balance will ordinarily be nil. But in any case it is tolerably certain that the balance would not be large, and the practical question then arises, if the committees are not fit to be entrusted with any sort of discretion about the matters referred to ; if it is necessary to bind them down at starting in legal fetters, so as to prevent them from criticising the very matters they ought apparently to criticise, why enact the dismal farce of having any committees at all ? The Collector is admittedly far more competent than a committee can be to carry out any purely executive work ; and if the Government really considers that the new committees must be legally bound down to preserve the *status quo*, whether they like it or not, why disturb present arrangements ? We can only hope that when the time comes for public discussion, the Government may see their way to make some important concessions.

THE fate of Mr. J. P. Green, the retired Judge of the Bombay High Court, will cause widespread regret in this city. It is now nearly four years since Mr. Green left Bombay, smitten with paralysis, in the hope that the mild Neapolitan climate might aid in the restoration of his health. It was the opinion of medical men at the time that the paralytic seizure of which he was the victim when apparently in robust health of mind and body, would prove incurable, and that in all probability he would not live two years. Still there was a hope, and as a matter of fact his life has been prolonged for nearly double the period mentioned, and he has now been killed by the terrific earthquake which has proved fatal to 3,000 others. It was scarcely to be expected that a man who has been for so many weary years unable to move hand or foot, or even to make his voice heard, could escape from a catastrophe which appears to have overwhelmed three-fourths of the population of Casamicciola. How mysterious are the ways of fate ! Who could have imagined when Mr. Justice Green was struck with suddon paralysis in December, 1879, in Bombay, that the calamity but ensured his being killed by an earthquake in the Island of Ischia in July, 1883 ? Universal sympathy will be felt for Mrs. Green, who is still so well remembered in Bombay society.

IT is officially stated, as will be seen from a Government Resolution printed elsewhere, that cholera in Bombay has assumed a "mild epidemic" form. In consequence thereof quarantine has been imposed at Aden on vessels from Bombay. It will be remembered that during the week ending July 24 the mortality from cholera had risen to 49. The figures for the week ending yesterday have not yet been corrected, but it is probable that, when the cases are inquired into, the death-rate will be nearly double that of the preceding seven days. The import of this statement is modified by the fact that during the last three days there has been a remarkable decrease as compared with the first four. The importance of this comforting circumstance is increased by reason of the comparatively small proportion of deaths to the number of cases reported. From this it may be safely inferred that the disease, if epidemic at all, must be of an exceedingly mild character. Yesterday we alluded to the potent effect which sulphur-burning exercised in exterminating cholera. We are informed that the practice in Bombay city is to place fires of sulphur and damn around and within every house in which a case of cholera occurs, as well as in the streets adjoining. Carbolic acid is used on the walls and in the drains. It may be stated in connection with this subject that the precautions in vogue, such playful tappings [illegible] in vogue, such playful tappings [illegible] be called severe castigations, is a [illegible]ich is open to argument. The old-[illegible]ge, too, when the dainty feathered fan was used merely to hide those portions of the features which were considered by the owner to be less attractive and consequently less adapted to man-slaying, seems now entirely to have passed out of date, though we may on occasion see a pair of brilliant eyes peering over the edge of a well-adjusted fan. Such, however, does not seem, to judge at least from appearances, to be the use for which these over-grown hand punkahs have been designed. Their *raison d'être* appears to be as a weapon defensive rather than, as formerly, offensive. Seated in the depths of a sofa, behind some two yards of hemi-spherical shade, the fair owner and her partner can converse unscanned by prying eyes of inopportunely passing chaperones. Let us then not presume to pry into the secrets that lie hidden behind that screen. Move on, move on, and let us change the subject.

Whether or no religion and science should go hand-in-hand or be for ever controversially at variance, is a point into which I am not inclined to enter, and which, moreover, would, I think, be out of place in this column with its general levity of tone. However, this reflection has been suggested to my mind by an observation which fell from one of our pulpits the other Sunday anent the descent of man from jelly fish, or some inferior mollusc of sorts. I must say that I was slightly taken aback when I heard it, as I didn't quite see how this theory of the origin of man was to be reconciled with the peculiarly circumstantial account of the matter to which we are in the habit of listening peciodically in the same place. However, I attended strictly for a little longer, and I was informed that my principal claim to be an intelligent human being, and not an invertebrate acaleph, a discophorous steganophthalmatous medusa, lay in my possession of, not what I am pleased to call brains, but thumbs. Now, this rather upsets my preconceived notions on the subject of thumbs in general. I was under the impression that "twirling the thumbs" has been ever considered as direct evidence of mental deficiency or want of occupation, while to assert that the fingers are all thumbs was one of the greatest insults that could be heaped upon the offending digits of clumsy humanity. Arguing from these premisses, I was wont to look upon the thumb as rather a plebian member, a sort of social outcaste among the organizations of the body. However, it appears I was wrong. Never again will I treat him with contempt ; never again in moments of perplexity will I endeavour to gain inspiration by sucking him, degrading my only claim to be considered one of those noblest products of creation, or evolution if you will, a man.

The cricket match this week between British Military and the combined strength of Staff Corps and Civilians was hardly a success. Neither side produced anything astonishing in the way of a score, and the Staff Corps and Civilians barely saved themselves from a single innings beating.

I did not attend at the Parsee Theatrical Troupe's entertainment on Thursday, so am unable to give you any detailed description of it, and I have heard so many conflicting opinions that I think I had better leave it alone and not give you any second-hand criticism.

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TELEGRAMS.

POONA SKY RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JULY 31.

PONY HANDICAP.

Mr. Low's Countrybred 1
Dr. Findlay's Nilgai 2
Mr. Ledley's Archer 3

An easy win for Countrybred.

SENSATION HANDICAP.

Mr. Gray's Naughty Boy 1
Dr. Findlay's Pilot 2
Major Mansel's Syrian 3

A good race for first place ; bad third.

TOM THUMB STAKES.

Capt. Boyle's Pinkthorn 1
Capt. Hardinge's Tangier 2

Seven started ; close finish.

DESERT STAKES.

Dr. Findlay's Pilot 1
Mr. Channer's Gaylass 2
Mr. Ledley's Bluster 3

A good finish for first place ; bad third.

PONY SELLING PLATE.

Dr. Findlay's Nilgai 1
Mr. Conran's Chemise 2

A close race ; won by half a length.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

MURDER OF JAMES CAREY, THE INFORMER.

LONDON, JULY 31.

News has been received that James Carey, the informer in the late Dublin trials, has been shot dead at Port Elizabeth by a fellow-passenger, named O'Donnell, from London. The assassin was arrested.

THE SUEZ CANAL QUESTION.

The House of Commons last night adopted Mr. Norwood's amendment that any expression of opinion relating to the future proceedings of Her Majesty's Government in connection with the Suez Canal was undesirable, by 282 votes against 183.

Mr. Gladstone said that the monopoly of M. de Lesseps to construct a second canal was a legal question which must be settled by the Egyptian Courts or an international tribunal.

Mr. Childers expressed his conviction that before very long Her Majesty's Government would effect satisfactory arrangements in connection with the questions at issue.

THE CHOLERA IN EGYPT.

CAIRO, JULY 30.

The Egyptian Government have reconsidered their decision not to accept medical aid from India.

Twenty-three deaths have occurred amongst the British troops here since Friday last.

The mortality from cholera is again on the increase in this city, and also in Alexandria.

DEATH OF MR. JUSTICE GREEN.

NAPLES, JULY 30.

It has now been ascertained that three thousand people lost their lives in the earthquake at Casamicciola. Amongst those killed was the Hon'ble J. P. Green, retired Judge of the Bombay High Court.

THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

LONDON, JULY 30.

In consequence of the fall in the Government Securities, and the delay in recovering outstanding accounts, the Oriental Bank pays no dividend for the past half-year, but carries forward £32,000.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LIVERPOOL, JULY 30.

The Anchor Line steamer Mount Taber left here for Bombay to-day.

SUEZ, JULY 31.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Thames arrived here from Bombay on the afternoon of the 30th inst.

COLOMBO, JULY 21.

Mail-steamer Assam, from Aden, arrived.

LONDON, JULY 30.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed firm. Surats firm.

The London Cotton market has been steady.
Fair Dholleras ..... 3¾d.

The Manchester Market has been firmer.

4 per cent. Rupee Paper 79½
4½ per cent. " 83½
3 per cent. Consols for account 99⅞
3½ per cent. Sterling Loan 102½
4½ per cent. French Rentes 109½
Bar Silver 50 7-16

The sum of about £100,000 has been paid into the Bank of England.

Arrivals—Empire, Yoxford, and Ben Voirlich.

TELEGRAPH LINE REPORT.

(JULY 31.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, imperfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—*Via* Teheran, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Hirtenbe Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

Manilla land line still interrupted.
Saigon-Bankok cable interrupted.
Siberian line interrupted near Blagowestchensk.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

MONDAY, NIGHT, July 30.

10 p.m. ..... 79·6

TUESDAY, July 31.

6 a.m. ..... 79·0
10 a.m. ..... 81·0
2 p.m. ..... 82·9
4 p.m. ..... 82·1

A BILL is to be introduced into the Legislative Council, "to enable Government to prescribe the Official Seals of Sessions Judges, Magistrates, and other public authorities." The following is the "Statement of Objects and Reasons":—

Section 7, clause 3 of Regulation XIII. of 1827, which prescribed the seal to be used by Zilla Criminal Courts, was repealed by Act X. of 1872, and since then no legal provision has existed for determining what seal should be used by those Courts, or rather, by Sessions Courts, which, since the passing of the first Criminal Procedure Code, have taken the place of the Zilla Criminal Courts. In 1870 an Act (Bombay Act V. of 1870) was passed by the Legislative Council of Bombay [illegible] Government to prescribe the seals of [illegible]strates, but not of any other authority. The Act in Bill has been drawn for the purpose of sup[illegible] the deficiency in the law as regards Sessions [illegible], and the opportunity has been taken of [illegible]g the law so general in its terms that [illegible]ity may occur hereafter about prescribi[illegible] any other public authority when the [illegible]herwise legally provided for.

THE *Pioneer* :—There is a pretty general feeling that the K.C.S.I. just conferred on Major Evelyn Baring is hardly in fair proportion to the honours conferred within the last few years upon men in the Indian service of less mark. Fortunately, however, this reflection is less likely to disquiet Sir Evelyn Baring than his many friends, since there are probably very few public men to whom any titular distinction would seem of less importance.

THE Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab has cancelled the appointment of Mr. H. M. Durand, C.S.I., to a Deputy Commissionership in the Province, the protest of the Civil Civilians having been apparently too strong to be disregarded.

MR. E. D. MACLAGAN, who passed second in the last competition for the Indian Civil Service, is a son of General Maclagan, R. E., an officer well known in the Punjab.

IT is stated to be probable that the period of deputation of medical officers to the various hill sanitaria will be extended from two years to five, and that this arrangement will have retrospective effect, so as to include the Civil Surgeons now acting.

A SPECIAL engineer of the Department of Public Works, Mr. Brassington, is employed upon estimates for a Government House and public offices at Dalhousie. Upon his report, and the view taken of the proposed outlay by the Financial Department, the Allahabad paper says, will mainly depend whether the Punjab Government removes its summer head-quarters to that station in the course of a year or two or not.

THE Calcutta Zoo is shortly to have an additional attraction, in the shape of some Andaman and Nicobar Islanders who are to be quartered there in connection with the approaching International Exhibition. They appear to have already arrived, as the *Statesman* explains that "the object for which they have been brought to Calcutta, at this early period, is that they may be modelled from life, as a part of the scheme for illustrating the ethnology of Her Majesty's Indian dominions, and, when this is done, they will return to their homes, so that they will only be a few weeks in Calcutta. We learn that a number of races have already been modelled, but none of such general interest as the representatives of these two tribes that have just arrived. They are to erect their huts in the Zoo, so that they will be seen almost to as great advantage there as in their own native wilds. Due intimation will be given to the public when these strangers are settled. There are four Andamanese men and two women, and three Nicobarese men, and we believe they are being sent to the Zoological Gardens for seclusion and for their personal comfort."

THE following dates have been fixed for the sailing of Indian troopships from Portsmouth during the ensuing trooping season :—The Malabar on the 4th of September, the Euphrates on the 8th of September, the Jumna on the 13th of September, and the Serapis on the 16th of September.

ANOTHER Blue Ribbon is vacant by the death of the Duke of Marlborough. This stall will, *Truth* thinks, it is all but certain be filled by Lord Northbrook, who, if the usual custom had been followed, would have received the Garter which was given to the Duke of Grafton, whose "claims" were of the most shadowy description.

MR. GLADSTONE having selected Wednesday, August 8, as a convenient date for the Ministerial Banquet, the Lord Mayor was already issuing invitations before the last mail left. Very many members of Parliament outside the Ministerial circle will be present, and the guests will number over 300.

LA HOSTE made another unsuccessful attempt to cross the Channel on July 9 from Boulogne. The wind blew the balloon north, and the æronaut was forced to descend at Dixmude, in Belgium, at eight o'clock. He announced his intention to try again in a few days.

THE Bulletin de la Société de Géographie de Marseille publishes the following :—"News has just arrived from Zanzibar of the death of the famous King M'tesa, Sovereign of Ugandu, and well known to all those who have read about the great lakes of Central Africa."

CONSIDERABLE inconvenience will undoubtedly, the *Evening News* remarks, ensue from the action of the people of Brindisi, whose fortunes have been made by the Peninsular and Oriental Company and their Indian transit trade, in the case of the mail-steamer Surat, and a very serious question must arise with the Italian Government, which appears to have something more than endorsed the action of the populace of the chief Otrantan port. The Italian Ministry must make up its mind whether it is going to throw obstacles amounting to prohibition in the way of passenger and mail traffic, or whether it is going to be guided by considerations of commonsense. Its mere geographical position will not justify it in stopping mails and passengers from India to England, and a repetition of its conduct on Friday will go very far to accelerate the construction of the railway between Novibazar and Salonica, which, when it is made, will prove to be the Oriental mail line of the future, at least until India is connected with the Mediterranean by rail, and even then we are by no means sure that Salonica would not be the preferable port. However, it is the duty of the Government, now that Italy has endeavoured to impose such a monstrosity as twenty days' quarantine on mails and passengers, although the mails were carried in precise accordance with the Sanitary Convention on the subject, to insist upon the withdrawal of the regulations respecting quarantine and the uninterrupted transit of the tarred mail bags.

A DEATH from sea-sickness is reported in the English papers. Mr. George Collier held an inquest at Wapping on July 13, on the body of Margaret Quinn, aged thirty-one, a lady's-maid. Mr. Peter H. Peterson, captain of the steamship Dagmar, stated that the deceased was a passenger on board his ship from Copenhagen. She suffered greatly from sea-sickness during the whole voyage, and when the vessel arrived at Gravesend she was found dead in her cabin. There was no doctor on board. Mr. Robert Orlere, surgeon, stated he had made a post-mortem examination of the body, and his opinion was that the cause of death was the sudden failure of the heart's action from prolonged sea-sickness. The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical testimony.

THE Anchor line steamer Furnessia arrived at Queenstown on July 10 from New York, and landed those pauper emigrants who were refused by the New York Emigration Commissioners' permission to disembark at that port.

REVENGE, says *Truth*, is sweet to others than woman. Sir Garnet Wolseley suppressed General Hamley's despatch on Tel-el-Kebir. The bitterly satirical article on "Red-hot Reform" in the current number of *Blackwood*, while professedly an attack on the changes in the Army during the past few years, is in reality a covert stab driven fairly home between the joints of Lord Wolseley's armour. It is true that there is no signature to the article ; but the author has made but a half-hearted attempt to conceal his identity. Few, however, I should think, will be persuaded by this brilliant squib into the belief that we should go back to the purchase system, amidst other absurdities of the past ; but it is sufficiently clever and amusing to be read for its literary interest, apart from the value of its arguments.

THE *Moniteur* publishes the daily life of the Emperor of Anam, as it calls him. The two chief institutions of his palace are its harem and its kitchen. He is an old man, and only allows his sacred face to be seen by mandarins of high rank. His principal meal in the day, the consumption of which must occupy more time than the most elaborate *table d'hôte*, consists of no fewer than twenty courses, amongst which his favourite delicacy of roast monkey is never wanting. He frequently receives a fatted ape from his subjects as a present, and nothing is more acceptable. Amongst other strange food served up at his table are the fumps of camels, the fins of sharks, varieties of snails, and a species of red worms. The latter are eaten alive. His manner of daily life is said to be more luxurious than that of his overlord, the Emperor of China.

DESPITE the vigilance and watchfulness of a well-organised police force, bushranging in New South Wales is by no means extinct. The Australian papers which arrived here yesterday contain accounts of the exploits of a couple of men, named Scanlan and Egan, apparently in emulation of the audacious villainy of the notorious Kelly gang. It appears that a firm of contractors at Menangle drew a sum of £1,447 from the bank for the purpose of paying the workmen's wages. On the way to the camp, the persons in charge of the money were pounced upon by Scanlan and Egan, both of whom had their faces masked. One of them shouted, "Bail up, or we'll blow your brains out ; throw up your arms—" at the same time presenting revolvers. Being unarmed the men in charge of the money had no alternative but to "bail up" accordingly. Having obtained possession of the money, the robbers led the men into the bush for about a hundred yards, and having pinioned them to a couple of trees with ropes, decamped with their booty. Some days afterwards, however, they were run to earth by members of the Sydney detective force.

UNTIL quite recently citizens of the United States were unrivalled as manufacturers of incredible stories. A year or two ago, however, a mendacious Australian journalist dealt a cruel blow at this kind of American supremacy by inventing and publishing a minute account of a process by means of which a man's animation could be indefinitely suspended, the vital powers meanwhile undergoing no waste whatever ; and now Japan sends us a tale which for wild and sublime untruthfulness probably exceeds anything that either America or Australia has produced. According to the correspondent of a Tokio journal, a native philosopher living at Hakodadi has discovered a method by which he can at will materialize his own soul. This remarkable man is, so it is asserted, accustomed, for the amusement of himself and his friends, to take his seat towards evening in a large bamboo chair, and to become apparently unconscious. No sooner has his body lost all sensitiveness than there issues from his open mouth a faint blue flame, which slowly takes form and assumes the proportions of a well-developed manikin of some six inches in height. This manikin, who is the materialized soul of the philosopher, talks freely with those present, and eats, drinks, writes, and, in fact, exercises all the functions of a civilized and perfectly constituted human being. He dare not, however, so he is reported to declare, break contact with the inanimate body of his possessor ; and on one occasion, when he was forcibly removed and set upon a neighbouring table, the philosopher began to gasp and struggle as if in the agonies of death, whereupon the manikin was quickly replaced on his master's head. The correspondent professes to give the names of several Japanese gentlemen who have more than once witnessed the experiment ; and he is wicked enough to end his recital with a solemn oath that the whole account is strictly true.

MILITARY NEWS.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL MORTON has been appointed to officiate as Assistant Adjutant-General Oudh Division, *vice* Farrington, on furlough, and will be succeeded as Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Rohilcund District, by Major Brind, Connaught Rangers.

CAPTAIN F. W. CAMPBELL, R.A., who went home last year for the long course of gunnery at Shoeburyness, has been appointed to the Department of the Director of Artillery ; and Captain D. E. Dewar replaces him in the course at Shoeburyness.

LIEUTENANT CARPENDALE, late 12th Bengal Cavalry, now on furlough, has been appointed to the 8th Bengal Cavalry as permanent Squadron Officer.

LIEUTENANT MASSY, 19th Bengal Lancers, is temporarily placed on duty in the Intelligence Branch, Quartermaster-General's Department.

THE following officers and men passed in Punjabi at the examination held at Meean Meer on the 1st instant :—Lieutenant C. Thackwell, 20th Punjab Native Infantry ; Lieutenants A. Hamilton and Lieutenant W. E. Bunbury, 25th Punjab Native Infantry ; Lieutenant J. M. A. Retallick, 45th Sikhs ; Sergeant Watts, Commissariat Department ; Private Meeke, 4th Rifles ; and Assistant Apothecary G. Gill.

THE Inspector-General of Ordnance, Bengal, has notified by circular that Snider small-arms ammunition of Kirkee manufacture, of the year 1879 and 1880, satisfied the prescribed tests for accuracy, but failed on account of the excessive number of casualties, and is to be used for field firing purposes.

Truth says :—The action of the Horse Guards in stopping the promotion of certain young officers of a Hussar regiment, for sending a round-robin to an officer just gazetted to the regiment, with the view of preventing him from joining, will be approved of by all sensible people. If young warriors persist in behaving like schoolboys, they should be treated as such.

IN the *France Militaire* lately appeared a notification of the re-introduction of the cuirasse in the French army. This naturally provoked the attention of the German military papers, as it is supposed that Germany is the one enemy against whom France is preparing and perfecting her soldiery. The *Militärwochenblatt* thinks that while France is for the extravagant Radical advance in things political, she is always looking back to the past and the legendary in things military. General Billot re-introduced the banished drum ; his successor, General Thibaudin, will reintroduce the banished cuirasse. "It is a matter in both cases," says the German critic, "of Chauvinism and sentiment." In France the cuirasse, like the drum and like the epaulettes, is a legend. The epaulettes will be next re-introduced. Meanwhile practical men in the French cavalry shake their heads over this sacrifice at the altar of sentiment. No one believes that the old armour will be of any service against modern shot. No one thinks that it will be of much use against a sabre-stroke. Nevertheless, its advocates have a reply. They assert that the chief use of the breast-plate is the sense of confidence which it produces in the imagination of its wearer. "It will thus be of no slight assistance," says the *France Militaire*, in its reply to its German critics, "when the opposing cavalry of France and Prussia first cross their sabres in the war of the *Revanche*. *Nous verrons bien !*"

COURT-MARTIAL.—At a General Court-martial, assembled at Fyzabad on the 9th July, Private James McCue, of the 1st Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, was arraigned on the following charge :—After having served in the Royal Artillery of Her Majesty's Regular Forces, under the name of Patrick Brady, and been discharged therefrom as incorrigible and worthless, he, at Belfast, on 4th January, 1881, enlisted into the 32nd Brigade of Her Majesty's Regular Forces, denying his previous service in the Army. The Court found the prisoner guilty of the charge, and sentenced him to suffer penal servitude for the term of five years, and to be discharged with ignominy from Her Majesty's service.

SUICIDE BY AN OFFICER AT GHOREPURI.

LIEUT. F. J. DE LISLE, a young Artillery officer, who joined on appointment the European Mountain Battery at Ghorepuri about a fortnight ago, destroyed himself yesterday (Monday) morning, at about 7 o'clock, by a shot through the head with a revolver. He was a quiet, abstemious gentleman, and apparently in no way had he the slightest cause to commit such a rash act. He was a strong, powerful young man, who had been specially chosen for the appointment he held. It appears his friends had of late noticed that he used suddenly and without cause to grow moody and frown, bringing his eyebrows together, as if he was in pain ; and probably there was some brain-disease. Mr. Plunkett, Cantonment Magistrate, Major Babington, District Superintendent of Police, Major Stopford, 2nd Bombay Lancers, and Major Erskine, Poona Horse, held an inquest yesterday morning, and gave the following verdict :—"The jury are of opinion, after viewing the body and hearing the evidence, that the death of the deceased, Lieutenant Frederick J. De Lisle, Royal Artillery, was the result of a pistol-wound, self-inflicted, while in a state of temporary insanity." The funeral took place yesterday evening, the deceased being buried in the Ghorepuri Cemetery. —*Deccan Herald.*

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

[illegible]—The barometer has fallen over [illegible] India, and risen over the [illegible]thern parts of the [illegible] about normal, the [illegible]and lowest in the [illegible]sure over Bengal [illegible] The wind remains [illegible] and Arrakan, where it is [illegible]er remains dry, and except in [illegible]d north-east the air is not [illegible]per. Rain to-day :—Darjeeling, 1 inch ; Moulmein, 2 inches ; Sibsagar, [illegible]k, Jubbulpore, Sutna, and [illegible]ich ; Calcutta and Akyab, over [illegible] :—Nowgong, 3 inches ; Bareilly, [illegible]inghoo, 1 inch ; Sibsagar, Burdwan, and Jaunpore, over ½ inch.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

July.	Colaba. In. cts.	Fort. In. cts.	Esplanade. In. cts.	Byculla In. cts.
Previously regtd..	53 95	56 80	53 97	60 40
30 Monday	0 0	.....	.....	.....
31 Tuesday	.....	0 07	0 10	0 03
Total	53 95	56 87	54 07	60 43
Corresponding date last year	54 27	64 09	61 67	63 47

NOTE.—The returns from the Fort Esplanade, and Byculla are made up to 6 p. m. each day. The return from Colaba is up to midnight.

RAINFALL ON THE G. I. P. LINE.

WE are indebted to the Agent, G. I. P. Railway, for the following table of rainfall at stations along that line, for the week ending Friday, the 27th July :—

	In.	Cts.		In.	Cts.
Jubbulpore	20	33	Nassik	19	13
Sohagpur	23	17	Doolalee	16	82
Bhadli	29	15	Warangaon	39	77
Jalgaon	27	92	Hudgi	9	77
Sirsoli	23	20	Mahal	12	10
Mhaswad	21	98	Sindha	12	30
Mahoji	19	98	Barsi	9	30
Pachora	20	73	Keim	10	23
Kasgaon	22	98	Jehur	12	28
Naldongri	10	73	Pomalwari	10	8
Chalisgaon	17	93	Diksal	0	12
Vandigaon	13	98	Lamoli	10	28
Manmad	8	43	Palegaon	31	19
Kherwadi	18	28			

THE WEATHER ALONG THE COAST.

(31ST JULY, 1883.)

THE following information regarding the state of the weather at different ports round the coast and Kurrachee to Madras is compiled from the latest returns received by telegram at the Meteorological Office :—

STATIONS.	Barometer. At 10 a.m. reduced to mean sea level.	Thermometer in Radiation shade.	Direction	Mean Velocity.	Rainfall.
	Ins.	Dgs.		Miles.	Ins.
Kurrachee ..	29·575	83·0	W S W	20	0·00
Surat	·723	83·6	S W	25	0·01
Bombay	·794	81·0	S S W	19	0·01
Ratnagherry	·821	83·8	W S W	11	0·05
Karwar	·842	80·1	N W Fresh.	..	0·21
Mangalore ..	·872	81·4	W N W	2	0·02
Calicut	·878	77·6	W N W	10	0·03
Cochin	·875	81·1	W N W	2	0·15
Masulipatam	·700	94·8	N N W	7	0·00
Madras.....	·757	90·3	W N W	8	0·00
Nogapatam ..	·757	87·9	W	4	0·02

THE IMPERIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

(FROM OUR OWN REPORTER.)

THE Council met at Simla on Wednesday, the 25th July, when there were present the following members :—H. E. the President, H. E. the Commander-in-Chief, Hon'ble C. P. Ilbert, Major the Hon'ble E. Baring, Lieutenant-General the Hon'ble T. Wilson, Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley, Hon'ble T. C. Hope, Hon'ble W. W. Hunter, Hon'ble J. W. Quinton, and Hon'ble D. G. Barkley.

BOMBAY PORT DUES.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring moved that the Bill to give power to reduce port dues in the port of Bombay be taken into consideration.

The motion was put and agreed to.

Major the Hon'ble E. Baring also moved that for the enacting clause of the Bill the following be substituted, namely :—"In the Indian Ports Act, 1875, first schedule, for the first entry in the third column, in respect of the port of Bombay, the following shall be substituted, namely :—'Not exceeding four annas per ton for each class of vessels as the Trustees incorporated under the Bombay Port Trust Act, 1879, may from time to time direct.'"

The hon'ble mover explained that the motion was a purely formal one, and the Bill in its new form would allow the Bombay Port Commissioners to levy duty at less than 2 annas per ton, which they cannot do under the existing law. The change was suggested by the solicitors of the Bombay Government, and the present proposal was intended to give effect to it.

The motion was put and agreed to. The Bill as amended was then passed.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT IN BRITISH BURMAH.

The Hon'ble Mr. Ilbert moved that the Bill to amend the law relating to Local Self-Government in British Burmah be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Sir Steuart Bayley, the Hon'ble Messrs. Hope, Quinton, and Barkley, and the mover.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Council adjourned for a fortnight.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Town Council, 3 p. m.
Band, 10th N. L. I., Apollo-bunder, evening.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessel arrived on the 30th :—Sheik (s), from Port Said. Yesterday :—Chupra (s), Calcutta ; Abyssinia (s), Bussorah.

VESSEL SAILED.—The following vessel sailed yesterday :—Indus (s), for London.

MUSIC AT THE APOLLO-BUNDER.—The following programme of music will be played by the band of the 10th Regiment N. L. I. at the Apollo-bunder this evening, commencng at 5-30 :—

Overture	Italiana in Algieri	Rossini.
Selection	Hungarian Dance	Coote.
Selection	Nubucodonsor	Verdi.
Valse	Thine Alone	Meisner.
Quadrille	Nights o' London	Coote.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Zanzibar per extra s. s. Malacca will be closed at the General Post Office at 11 a.m. to-day.

LOST.—Moorar Morajee reported to the police on Monday last that he had dropped from his pocket, on that day, somewhere between the Fort, Carnac-bunder, and Mandavie, seven currency notes, of the collective value of Rs. 120.

FURIOUS DRIVING.—Dajee Narayen, a coachman, was yesterday charged, at the instance of Inspector Collis, V. C., before Mr. C. P. Cooper, with driving the company, which belonged to the late husband, to Hormusjee Nowrojee Saklatwalla, and assigned to him her interest in the agency business and commission, and her share in the firm. Hormusjee was thereby elected as a partner in the firm. Jugjeevandas Hemjee became involved in difficulties, and all his shares were attached under a decree and were purchased by Hormusjee, who subsequently assigned a moiety in Kilmainham. It shows the tenderness of his natural affection :—

"Sunday, July 1.

"Sir,—I hope you will send round to the Lord Mayor an apology for my non-attendance at Monday's meeting. I would wish very much you would. I expected that I would be in town before this. I require a day in town and a few days elsewhere before starting, but I know not when time that is the cause. I might have received word about the safe departure of some of my near friends—all business, no feeling—also the pardon. As you can depend on no one, it is best to be sure. I hope it is not a case of kidnapping friends away from me. I expect to hear from you to-day. I know you have a deal of trouble with me, but if you were in my place then you would excuse me for troubling you. My brother, too, was removed even in chapel, and a convict sentenced for life put alongside of me.—I remain, yours sincerely,

"JAMES CAREY, T. C.

"Call, or I will not stop here."

His name is likely to be brought forward in a judicial proceeding on Tuesday, when the Collector-General will apply to the Court of Bankruptcy for an adjudication on account of judgments obtained against him for 4291 arrears of rates due. It is stated that he has surrendered all his tenement houses except two to Mr. Meade, builder, in whose employment he had been for years. The exceptions were the house he occupied himself in Denzilie-street and a house in Harmony-row. These he assigned to his brother-in-law and nephew "in consideration of mutual love and affection and a sum of 5s." They are subject to the head rent of £20, and are stated to be worth £300. The Court will be asked to set aside the assignment and make the property available to satisfy the Collector-General's claim. The Dublin Corporation took steps to have Carey made a bankrupt as the shortest way of declaring his seat on the Town Council vacant. A few days before he left Kilmainham Gaol, Carey handed the following letter to a person who went to see him in the prison, requesting that it should be posted, but the request was not complied with :—

"To the Right Hon. Charles Dawson, M.P., Lord Mayor of Dublin.

"DUBLIN, June 26, 1883.

"My Lord Mayor,—It would have given me great pleasure to attend the meeting of the Municipal Council to be held on Monday next, especially as I see by yesterday's *Times* that Alderman Meagher was selected to fill the high post which your lordship so worthily fills. But circumstances over which I have no control compel me to deny myself that agreeable and pleasant duty. I may inform the Council, through your lordship, that I have this day instructed my solicitor to take all necessary steps to recover from Dr. Wade the penalty incurred by him for illegally voting, he not being a member of said Council. In conclusion, I might draw your attention to the old and trite saying (nevertheless true) that a certain gentleman is not as black as he is painted. When I give my account to counsel my conduct will stand in its true light. Mr. Grey, I am sure, will speak in my cause. Hoping that Alderman Meagher will be nominated and elected, I beg to remain, my Lord Mayor, with profound respect, yours sincerely.

"JAMES CAREY, T. C.

"N.B.—As Judge O'Brien said James Grey is not dead."

DIVINE SERVICE.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

THERE will be service on board the s. s. Inchuiva, in the Prince's Dock, at half-past seven o'clock this evening. Captains, officers, and seamen are cordially invited to attend. The Bethel flag will be hoisted in the afternoon.

HIGH COURT.—JULY 31.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice BIRDWOOD.)

SIR ALBERT DAVID SASSOON AND OTHERS *vs.* ALLYSHA GOOLAM HOOSAIN.

MR. TELANG, instructed by Messrs. Chalk and Walker, appeared for the plaintiffs ; there was no appearance for the defendant. The suit was brought to recover Rs. 24,162 due on two redrafts in respect of consignments of shawls made to England by the defendant through the plaintiffs' firm in Bombay. His lordship gave a decree for the plaintiffs for the amount, with interest, costs, and notarial charges.

A CLAIM ON A GUARANTEE.

DHUNJEE MOWJEE *vs.* SLEEMAN AND CO.

THE plaintiff sought to recover Rs. 13,983, being the amount of a redraft, including notarial charges, drawn by the Eastern Agency, Limited, on the plaintiff, who paid the amount from moneys deposited by him with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Mr. Farran and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Smith and Frere, appeared for the plaintiff ; and Mr. Lang and Mr. Russell, instructed by Messrs. Chalk and Walker, for the defendants.

The plaintiff stated that, on the 14th November, 1881, he, as muccadum to the defendants, entered into an engagement with the Eastern Agency, Limited, of London, through whom the defendants had then arranged to do business, to pay all losses or differences on consignments or shipments of produce made by the defendants to the Eastern Agency, whether the same might arise from late shipment, inferiority of quality in goods, or deficiency in weight as ascertained at the port of arrival. The plaintiff stipulated that such consignments should be introduced by him, and admitted as such by him under his hand and signature. The terms were embodied in a letter addressed by the plaintiff to the Eastern Agency. To secure the due performance of the terms, and to provide for the prompt payment of any redrafts which the plaintiff might be liable to pay, he deposited Rs. 15,000 with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, authorising them to use the deposit or a portion thereof in order to provide for any redrafts which he might fail to accept or pay. Before the plaintiff affixed his signature to the engagement on the 14th November, 1881, the defendant addressed to him a letter of a same date in the following words :—"With reference to your guarantee to the Eastern Agency as to the business between them and myself, it is hereby understood that your liability in the case of late shipments shall only in the case of loss on the same occurs through fault on your part or those employed by you, and for inferiority of all goods excepting cotton, hemp, and jute, and in the case of detention of goods at my request ; for any deterioration owing to such detention I am to be responsible ; and it is further understood that redrafts are to be paid by you only in case of inferiority of quality and shortage in weight, and quality of shipments to be examined immediately on arrival. Loss in cleaning seeds to be mine." When the defendant signed the letter, the plaintiff believed that he signed it as the agent of the Eastern Agency, and as modifying his (plaintiff's) engagement to the company. The defendant subsequently shipped 500 bales of cotton by the Cyphrinis, and 500 by the Salts Greys, which were consigned to the Eastern Agency, and drew bills against such consignments on the company for the price of the cotton. The plaintiff charged that the amount of the bills was largely in excess of the value of the two shipments. The cotton was selected and purchased by the defendants. When examined in Bombay it was represented by the defendants that, in respect of the inferior [illegible] and the deficiency [illegible] thereby, the Eastern Agency drew a redraft [illegible] Rs. 13,984 on the plaintiff, who said it was improperly drawn upon him. He at first refused [illegible] kept the redraft. The Hongkong and Shanghai [illegible] protested it for non-acceptance and non-payment ; and on the 3rd June, 1882, improperly applied [illegible] Rs. 15,000 of the deposit of Rs. 15,000, [illegible]ayment of the redraft and notarial charges [illegible]on. The defendants were really the persons [illegible] to pay the amount of the redraft ; and the [illegible]iff had called upon them to pay it, which they [illegible]d to do.

The defendant, Mr. J. F. Sleeman, in his written [illegible]ment, said that he had been acting as the [illegible] in Bombay of his brother in London for the [illegible]xecution of hardware and other indents, that in September, 1881, he opened negotiations with the Eastern Agency to do exchange and other business for them in Bombay. In September, 1881, Mr. Alexander Michie, the agent [illegible]he Eastern Agency, was in Bombay for the [illegible]pose of arranging the terms of the business ; [illegible] the defendant then learnt that the principal [illegible] of the export business proposed to be done in [illegible]bay would consist of shipments of wool and [illegible]s and cotton, which were branches of mer[illegible]le business in which the defendant had no [illegible]erience. Several persons applied to him to make [illegible]ll his muccadums, and among those was the plain[illegible] Defendant informed them all of the difficulty [illegible]which he was placed by his own inability to [illegible]ect wheat and seeds and cotton, and that the [illegible]ccadum he employed must be able to select [illegible]d produce and must hold himself responsible [illegible]r his selections. The plaintiff was willing to undertake the liability, and Mr. Michie [illegible]d he would be satisfied with the guarantee of the plaintiff, provided he entered into an [illegible]reement with the Eastern Agency and made a [illegible]bstantial deposit with a bank. The defendant [illegible]eed with the Eastern Agency to do business [illegible]th them, and appointed the plaintiff as his muc[illegible]um. The arrangement for the transaction of [illegible]siness was then finally made, and the documents [illegible]ating thereto were prepared. The plaintiff was willing to guarantee wool, hemp, and jute, and [illegible]ed the defendant to accept the responsibility of making shipments of such produce, to [illegible]ich the defendant assented, as the contemplated business in exports from Bombay would [illegible] include such produce. The defendant then [illegible]riedly signed the letter of 14th November, 1881. [illegible]e word "cotton" was written therein by mistake [illegible]r the word "wool." Both the parties subsequently noticed in the belief that the plaintiff was [illegible]le for all losses in respect of inferiority of cotton. [illegible]e defendant believed that the cotton referred to [illegible]e plaint was cotton belonging to the plaintiff [illegible]d in which he had a share. If the cotton was [illegible]erior in quality, the re-draft was properly drawn [illegible]on the plaintiff.

The hearing of the case is being proceeded with.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice LATHAM.)

THE AGENCY OF THE NEW GREAT EASTERN S. AND W. MILLS.

BACHOOBAI, WIDOW, AND [illegible]. WATKINS *vs.* SHAMJEE JADOWJEE.

THE first plaintiff, the widow of the late Mr. Formusjee Nowrojee Saklatwalla, and Mr. Watkins, the receiver of the deceased's estate, have filed a suit against the agents of the New Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, the plaint in which was accepted by his lordship in chambers to-day. The plaintiffs pray that it may be declared that they are entitled to a share of 90 per cent. in the firm of Vunmalidas Jugjeewan and Co., and to a like share in the commission earned and to be earned by the firm so long as it continues to carry on the agency ; that in the alternative, the rights of the plaintiffs may be ascertained and declared ; that the defendant may be decreed to pay the share of Mr. Hormusjee Nowrojee Saklatwalla already accrued due, after making all proper deductions therefrom ; that, at any rate, the defendant may be decreed to allowin account with his estate the sum of Rs. 13,100, &c.

The plaint states that, on the 29th October, 1873, the defendants, Jugjeewandas Hemjee and Vunmalidas Jeewa, since deceased, being then large shareholders in the mills, entered into an agreement to cause the company to be wound up and to form a new company, each shareholder in the old company receiving for each of his shares of the nominal value of Rs. 2,000, two shares in the new company of the nominal value of Rs. 1,000 each. The persons abovenamed were to cause themselves to be appointed agents of the new company, subject to the terms and conditions specified in the agreement. The old company was wound up and a new company was formed. The firm of Vunmalids Jugjeevun Shamjee and Co. were to be the agents under the control of the directors so long as they should carry on business in Bombay, or until they should resign, and were to receive a commission on the goods manufactured and sold by the company. Vunmalidas Jeewa died on the 16th August, 1874, and his widow, Bai Kaiser, was recognised as a partner in the firm. In August, 1875, she sold 316 shares of the company, which belonged to the estate of her late husband, to Hormusjee Nowrojee Saklatwalla, and assigned to him her interest in the agency business and commission, and her share in the firm. Hormusjee was thereby elected as a partner in the firm. Jugjeevandas Hemjee became involved in difficulties, and all his shares were attached under a decree and were purchased by Hormusjee, who subsequently assigned a moiety in the agreement of the dec

with Mr. Suberbie, just before his departure, he stated that he was grateful for what I had done in the matter though he seemed bitter against the other British residents, *a propos* of their action (or non action, he said) on the women and children question. The fugitives have already been robbed of a certain sum of money, and will certainly, at least some of them, be a long time on the road, but the principal question is about their lives, which are in the hands of Messrs. Baudais and Pierre. Ere this the news must have reached Mr. Baudais at Tamatave, and it is for him to consider whether he will execute 60 or 70 French men, women and children, or not. The Prime Minister will never, willingly, sacrifice them, but, should Messrs. Baudais and Pierre proceed to extremities before the fugitives are safe within the French lines, not only may they be killed on the road by an excited populace, but other Frenchmen, and possibly Mauritians supposed to be Frenchmen, scattered about in Madagascar, stand in danger of their lives. Mr. Baudais is thus face to face with a grave responsibility, and history will judge his action in this matter.

OUR LIVES

Those of the English, Americans and Norwegians with one German, to the number of about 200 persons, men, women, and children, are, I think, safe, unless the French advance upon the capital, when the increasing excitement (especially during mob rule when the native authorities evacuate the city before the French authorities enter) would place our lives in danger.

THE STATE OF THE CAPITAL

is much quieter since the French left, and yesterday (Sunday) it was curious to observe the Jesuit Cathedral full of praying Catholics with no priest to direct them. If all the Protestant missionaries left the capital to-morrow, their church services could go on as usual, because there is an organised native Church and pastors, but not so with the Roman Catholics, who depend entirely on the Jesuits, who being thus removed, the machine is disorganised. Yesterday I paid my usual Sunday visit to the German Engineer in the employ of the Malagasy Government, who lives close to his large laboratory about 2 miles from town. On passing through a camp of the many thousand soldiers whose tents cover the hills around the city, all was quiet, and no insulting shouts, like those of the Sunday before the French left, were heard. Before the French left, British subjects were mistaken for French, and insulted, but now the native mind has grasped the idea that all the unfriendly Vazahas (foreigners) are gone so that all who remain, being friendly, must not be insulted, as was the case only the other day before the French left, and Mr. Mathews, an English Missionary, stated at the meeting of May 23 that he "met a gang of charcoal burners from the country, who mistook him for a Frenchman and used language more horrible than any he had heard during his many years' residence here, the howing and scowling being diabolical," so that after all, the main question, the question of safety or non-safety, has hinged on the other question of French or non-French, as clearly seen and proclaimed by Mr. Wilkinson in his speech at the Prime Minister's meeting of January 3, an account of which was duly published at Mauritius and elsewhere, where Mr. Wilkinson's action, in raising the question of nationality, was duly criticised by French and Jasuit organs and others.

TAMATAVE.

My latest dates from Tamatave are to May 20, when the Hovas still held Tamatave, and it was reported that Mr. Pakenham, the British Consul, was guarded in his Consulate by English marines. We suppose here that the French are not prepared for a march on the capital. We do not see how troops could have been got secretly together without the movement attracting public attention. In case Tamatave is bombarded who "pays the piper" who pays British, Americans, Germans and others, for the destruction of their houses and goods, as, in Tamatave, nearly all house property and goods belong to foreigners?

OPINION IN THE CAPITAL.

We may be wrong, but here we consider Admiral Pierre's action as a demonstration to terrify the Malagasy Government. As far as I can see, it has only exasperated the Government and enraged the people, and we think that the final upshot, which must come, and to which the Government has not shut its eyes, namely, an expedition to the capital, cannot now take place before next June, unless the French decide to act during the hot and unhealthy season of November, December, January, February, March and April. We also wonder what effect upon Europe the news of actual hostilities will have. With Egypt, Ireland, Boers and Dynamite, England can do little for her interests in these seas, imperilled through French action in Madagascar, unless she joins (in a certain extent) the Triple Alliance, and a joint note, on Malagasy affairs, from the Four Powers, addressed to the French Government, would settle the Malagasy question for the time being. Otherwise Mr. Gladstone will perhaps do here as he did in the Transvaal, and, as the Hovas cannot indefinitely resist the French, these latter will become as powerful here as are the Boers among the South African natives, British interests will then be now here, and the British name become as sullied here as it is said to be in South Africa.

COMMUNICATIONS WITH TAMATAVE

seem to be open, and our Committee has established two mails per week, leaving here each Tuesday and Saturday morning, which are protected by a Government escort, and by one of which mails I send you this letter. The only danger is that reports, true or false, of fighting at Tamatave, may cause the mail-bearers to throw away the letters on the road, when this despatch, that I have been at some trouble to find time to write, will be lost.

CULATE AT TAMATAVE.

[illegible]een much neglected by this [illegible] our own resources, though [illegible]e able to prove extenuating [illegible]nly notice taken of us by Mr. [illegible]ose famous private (so-called) [illegible]hop and communicated [illegible]hop, in which Mr. Packenham [illegible] Baudais think that there is [illegible]itish subject here who thinks [illegible]e to Tamatave." This was [illegible]e-of-expulsion of Frenchmen, etc., had reached Tamatave, and it will be curious to notice the effect at Tamatave of this news.

THE MALAGASY FIGHTING MEN

are many of them fine specimens of humanity. About 5,000 of them, with whom the Prime Minister was haranguing the other day, were a sight to see as regards physique, their evident marching qualities, and the manner in which they handed their spears. Let a large body of these men get into a French camp, as the Zulus did into the English camp, and the results will be the same, though at long distances the French must ever be victorious, the Malagasy being very inferior in taking aim.

EUROPEANS IN THE INTERIOR.

Our latest Committee meeting is recorded as follows:

At a meeting of the Committee held at Faravohitra, June 1, 1883, Rt. Rev. Bishop Kestell-Cornish in the chair, and present: Rev. W. E. Cousins, Rev. G. Cousins, Rev. L. Dahle, Mr. Wilkinson, Mr. Pitman and Mr. Wilson—the following resolutions were adopted:

1. Proposed by Rev. W. E. Cousins and seconded by Mr. Pitman:—"That the Secrery be requested to take steps for forming a complete register of all British and Norwegian subjects and American citizens now residing in Imerina, and that copies of the said register be forwarded to the Consuls representing our various nationalities."

2. Proposed by Rev. G. Cousins and seconded by Rev. L. Dehle:—"That the Malagasy Government be requested to afford protection to men carrying mails between Antananarivo and Tamatave. The said mails to leave the capital on Tuesday and Saturday mornings every week."

3. Proposed by Rev. W. E. Cousins and seconded by Mr. Wilson:—"That a notice be sent to all British and Norwegian subjects and American citizens recommending them to draw up inventories of all goods now in their possession."

4. Proposed by Mr. Pitman and seconded by Mr. Wilkinson:—"That copies of all resolutions passed by this Committee be forwarded to our Consuls with as little delay as possible."

MISSIONARIES.

I think it is a mistake to suppose that the missionaries of the London Missionary Society, stationed here, advise the Malagasy to resist the French. Many of them are peace-at-any-price men, and Admiral Pierre's action at Majunga has so enraged the natives that prudent advice, given by the missionaries or any one else, would not now be listened to.

MY POSITION.

I am as opposed as ever to French designs in Madagascar, tending as they do to destroy British influence in these seas. I am in favour of the *statu quo* but my opposition to the French is open and fair, and I respect them, as I think they know.

BISHOP KESTELL-CORNISH,

[illegible]at whom I had been prejudiced, appears, from [illegible] I see of him on the Committee, to be a very [illegible]eous chairman and good man, in spite of being [illegible]hop, and I am glad that we have him here [illegible]us.

CIRCULAR TO BRITISH SUBJECTS.

[illegible] following:—Johnstone, Esquire, Consul at the [illegible] Majesty's Navy [illegible]quire, Commander in [illegible]at at Tamatave and Senior Naval Officer [illegible] British sub[illegible]

[illegible]ir [illegible]jects sustaining injury to themselves [illegible]property from whatever persons soever are [illegible]with to report the circumstances to myself on [illegible]rd the Dryad, there to report them at the British Consulate either to Her Majesty's Consul or to the Naval Officer deputed by me to hear such complaints.

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All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground, containing by admeasurement 132 6-9 square yards or thereabouts, and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 5407, together with the messuages, tenements, or dwelling house, hereditaments and premises with a large well therein, built standing thereon, situate, lying and being in Borah Bazaar-street in the Island of Bombay, in the Registration sub-district of Fort, fronting on the east side of the said Borah Bazaar-street, and which said dwelling house, hereditaments and premises were formerly assessed under No. 71, afterwards under No. 92, and are now assessed under No. 93, and are bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the east by the property of Sorabjee Rutonjee, on or towards the west by the said Borah Bazaar-street, on or towards the north by the property of Rustomjee Hormasjee Bottlewalla, and on or towards the south by the property of Hormasjee Ruttonjee Bhaya.

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SALE OF TEAK BUILDING MATERIALS of the late Dr. C. F. KHORY, Surgeon-Dentist, will be published shortly.

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On SATURDAY next, the 4th instant, at 12 noon, Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sale Room, No. 4, Forbes and Meadow-streets, Fort, an English brougham with Arab horse and harness, the property of the late Dr. C. F. Khorry, Surgeon-Dentist.

Also by order of C. A. Turner, Esq., Official Assignee, High Court, and in re Ellen Henriette Crage, widow of the late William Crage, a hackney coach-keeper, a brougham with horse and harness complete.

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SALE OF OLD BOOKS, PERIODICALS, &c., belonging to the Public Works Department.

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MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.

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On SATURDAY, the 4th August next, at 2 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Parell, near the G. I. P. Railway station, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished and richly carved household furniture, best plated rich crockery and glass ware, handsome Japanese vases, rich table ornaments, handsome kerosine lamps, first-rate pictures, a mahogany semi-grand piano by John Broadwood and Sons, a strong-built pony dog-cart with chestnut pony, iron English cooking stove, sewing machine, books, plants, &c., &c., the property of W. Edmonton, Esq., the same comprises glassware, handsome dinner, dessert, and tea services, best plated ware, such as hot-water curry dishes, cruet, pickle, and egg-stands, ice pitcher, bread basket, salver, tea set, a set of spoons and forks for 12 persons, table and chamber candlesticks, cutlery, &c., handsome blackwood and teakwood French polished and richly carved household furniture, such as a large square dining table, a set of camptables, sideboard, whatnot, mallet pattern arm and without arm chairs, handsome circular, pier, sofa, side oblong, and writing tables, easy, reclining, long arm, Alexandria, and drawing room chairs, conversation couches, ottoman stands, teapoys, Japanese and other flower vases Delhi work and other table ornaments, firstrate pictures, musical box, a sweet toned mahogany semi-grand pianoforte by John Broadwood Sons, handsome iron and teakwood four post bedsteads, dressing and washing tables, dressing and cheval glasses, clothes presses, chest of drawers, wardrobes, dispense articles, cooking utensils, valuable books, &c., &c.

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Full particulars will be given hereafter.

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About 18,000 Brush Arc Lamps are ready in use in the United States alone, and they soon promise to be almost as extensively adopted in Great Britain for town and other large lightings; whilst the Lane Fox and Swan Incandescent Lamps are equally successful for internal purposes. In securing these patent rights and powers, however, *the Bombay Company will not be restricted to their sole use, but will have the privilege of adopting any other improved systems or methods of working which may hereafter be developed.*

For India the advantages of Electricity over all other means of lighting are specially manifest. Gas, Oil, &c., are so much dearer than in Europe and America that competition in the matter of cost is on a very different basis, whilst its freedom from neat and noxious exhalations and absence of danger from fire peculiarly adapt it for use in hot climates. In fact, it is the light of the future for this country and there can be no doubt that both for public and private purposes it will rapidly come into extensive operation.

Although the Eastern Electric Light & Power Co. has only been represented here for a comparatively short time and have necessarily been largely occupied with preliminary operations, they are now in a position to hand over a business producing upwards of Rs. 50,000 per annum, and so confident are they, from the numerous applications for the light which they have already in hand, of the ultimate success of the undertaking that they GUARANTEE A DIVIDEND ON THE WORKING OF THE COMPANY DURING THE FIRST THREE YEARS AT A RATE OF EIGHT PER CENT. PER ANNUM ON THE PAID CAPITAL. After the business has been developed, the Directors think that a probable dividend of 12 per cent. might be calculated upon.

The amount to be paid to the Eastern, by the Bombay Company for the business, good-will, patents, licenses, concessions, &c., is Rs. 1,50,000 in Cash and Rs. 1,50,000 in fully paid-up Shares. These amounts, however, will be vested in Trustees for security of the guaranteed dividend.

The plant, machinery, buildings, &c., to be taken over will be at actual cost price.

The promotion money has been paid and all preliminary expenses of every kind up to, and including the registration of the Bombay Company will be borne by the Eastern Electric Light and Power Company of London.

The working expenses of the Company will be based as far as possible, on minimum monthly salaries and commissions on net profits.

Prospectuses and forms of application can be obtained at the Company's Offices, or from the Solicitors Messrs. Prescot and Winter, or the Agent, Mr. John Marshall, where all the Agreements above-mentioned may be seen and any information obtained.

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[illegible]ernment, con[illegible]
Works Loan Act of 18[illegible]
lakhs of Rupees, on th[illegible]
for the completion of the Rang[illegible]

II. Debentures will be is[illegible]
cent. per annum, payable half-y[illegible]
Debenture Bonds to the [illegible]
Debenture Bonds to be paid off [illegible]
August, 1888, and thereafter in t[illegible]
month of February, 1913, of whic[illegible]
British Burma and Government [illegible] to be
paid off will be notified in one or more of the local papers, and no interest will be paid on such Debentures after the 15th March or 15th September next following the drawings. The drawings will take place at the Municipal Office and be conducted by the Finance Sub-Committee of the Municipality.

III. The form of Debenture Bonds will be that given below. Each Debenture will be issued for the sum of Rs. 500.

IV. Tenders for the whole or any part of the abovenamed sum of (Rs. 4,00,000) four lakhs of Rupees will be received by the President of the Municipal Committee up to noon on the 7th August, 1883.

V. Each tender should be in the form hereto annexed, and enclosed in a sealed cover, superscribed "Tender for Municipal Loan of 1883,' and sent to the Municipal office, addressed to "The President, Municipal Committee, Rangoon."

VI. The tenders will be opened by the President at the Municipal Office on the 7th August, 1883, at noon, a minimum rate having first been fixed by the Finance Sub-Committee.

VII. Parties tendering must pay into the Bank of Bengal to the credit of the Municipal Fund a sum equal to 2 per cent. of the amount tendered and forward the Bank receipt with the tender.

VIII. If the tender be accepted, the deposit will be not fully paid up on or before the 7th September, 1883.

IX. Debentures will be issued as soon as possible after receipt of the amount of allotment.

X. The deposit on tenders which may not be accepted will be returned on application.

XI. In the case of two or more tenders at the same rate (not being below the minimum) a *pro-rata* allotment will, if necessary, be made.

XII. The rate stated in a tender must not contain any fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

XIII. In order to avoid mistakes a separate tender must be made at each rate tendered and a separate deposit must accompany each tender.

XIV. The annual income from the rates and taxes which are offered as security for the loan amount to Rs. 9,80,000. The charges for loans which have already been raised on the same security are as follows:—

Interest at 4½ per cent. on Rs. 4,49,082 payable to Government.
Interest at 5½ per cent. on Rs. 7,00,000 payable to the Bank of Bengal.

Municipal Office, Rangoon, dated 10th April, 1883. SHERLOCK HARE, President.

FORM OF TENDER.

I hereby tender for Rs. —— of the Loan advertised in the Notification of the President of the Rangoon Municipality, dated the —— and published in the —— of dated the —— and agree to pay the same subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rs. —— for every Rs. 100 allotted to me.

I enclose a deposit receipt of the Bank of Bengal at Rangoon for Rs. —— being 2 per cent. on the amount of my tender, and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Municipal Fund in the SAID Bank of Bengal the sum allotted to me on or before the 7th September, 1883.

Signature.
Address.

DRAFT DEBENTURE.

RANGOON MUNICIPAL FIVE PER CENT. LOAN OF 1883 OF FOUR LAKHS OF RUPEES.

No. —— DEBENTURE FOR FIVE HUNDRED RUPEES.

The Municipal Committee for the city of Rangoon, appointed under the British Burmah Municipal Act, 1874, in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred Rupees paid to them by —— do hereby, under and by virtue of the Local Authorities Loan Act, 1879, promise to pay to the said —— or order, thirty years after the date hereof, the sum of Five